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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1956.

COMMENT OF THE DAY

The Suez Canal Conference

AR Solwyn Lloyd broke no new ground in his 1 broadeast last night on the Canal - dispute. Nevertheless the speech cunbe welcomed, as a firm re-Britain's position and her determination not to allow control of the canal to fall into the hands of a dictator. The tone of the Foreign

Secretary's hroudenst should help to create a degirable almosphere for the opening of the London conference, Mr Lloyd made it clear that it was the intention of the Blg Three to explore every peaceful means of finding a solution to the canal dispute and that they had concrete proposals to put before the conference to that end.

Envisaged is an international [authority that will take over control of the canal. ensure its efficient function. ing as a free, open and secure international waterway, and see that Egypt receives an equitable return from the annual pro fits. How any nation, whether it makes use of the canal or not, can object to such an arrangement is difficult to understand,

MOREOVER Mr Lloyd in-

We diented that Britain was prepared to agree to a further safeguard in the interests of all parties by the provision of a link between the new canal authority and the United Nations. What form that would take has yet to be disclosed, but it might involve the inclusion of a United Nations official on the new administrative board who would be in a position to make regular reports to UNO on the manner the Authority was functioning; alternatively the Authority could undertake to submit to the United | Nations full and regular reports on its activities.

Internationalising of the Sucz Canal cannot be regarded Egyptian sovereighty, As ! Mr Selwyn Lloyd has emphasised, the idea that' to accepted modern ideas of what | years ago, and, let it be quested to be repatriated. observed, the Soviets agreed In principle with the idea.

PHIS is something Mr the Russian Foreign Minister would do well to remember when he advances his views at the London conference, Egypt's internal affairs and her administration have changed tempts to repudiate a princi- to sea. ple long ago accepted by the

Russian government. Perhaps the most encouraging prospect for the London conference is that it is being held after tempera have cooled off. All delegates. tions, and the dangers which | kept on in their jobs. they present to the future although his obvious difficulty is to find a face-saving the same basis as those of the nationalised company."—Reuter. formula that would be acceptable, to the Western powers and at the same time would not undermine his national prestige.

Probably Colonel Nasser will at first reject any proposals resources of the American which the London confor resolving the Flemming. of considerable doubt.

From Donald Edgar Cairo, Aug. 14. There are definite signs of a lessening of tension in Cairo.

The Australian Ambassador in Cairo, Mr R.

Cutler VC, saw the Egyptian Foreign Minister, Mr Fawzy

Afterwards Mr Cutler told me: "There are signs that the Egyptians would like to go some way towards, a basis of negotiation.

"Tempers have cooled," he said. "I noticed one or two hopeful signs. There

"Now Tempers Cool-And Tension Eases In Cairo" Malta

is the tendency to move a little away from the inflexible position," he added. This confirms the somewhat extraordinary spirit of optimism sweeping Cairo. For

over the week-end they were envisaging

war any day. Reuter reports from Paris that Suez Canal shares rallied on the Bourse today, reflecting increased optimism

over the international situation.

The better feeling on the market also showed in oil share quotations. - London Express Service and Reuter.

A PEACEFUL SOLUTION OF THE SUEZ PROBLEM

DECLARATION ON EVE BIG CONFERENCE

London, Aug. 14. The Foreign Secretary, Mr Selwyn Lloyd, said tonight the British Government would work with all its power for a peaceful solution of the Suez Canal dispute — "but that solution must include some form of international control for this essential waterway."

In a nation-wide broadcast on the Suez Conference opening in London on Thursday, Mr Lloyd said: "The rule of law must prevail. We are not bellicose-neither the British Government nor people. With Britain force is always the last resort."

the Canal. "We are seeking of the Canal," he said. a plan which will take full ac- primary purpose of a Sucz count of the legitimate require- Conference would be to express

Mr Lloyd said Britain was ments of Egypt. We want to jun opinion of the Western not seeking British control of preserve the rights of the users powers proposals for an interinternational control. We want - Mr. Lloyd added that the way,

These were discussed by Mr

FA CED NASSER WITH DILEMMA

Paris, Aug. 14. The Director-General of the Suez Canal Company, as an infringement of M. Jacques Georges-Picot, said today that Egypt's President, Colonel Nasser, was facing "a dilemma."

Speaking at a Press con- engaged in foreign petroleum merely because the canal; ference, M. Georges-Picot said; operations, was preparing for passes through Egyptian "Either the nationalisation of the following actions if Middle territory, its control by an the Sucz Canal brings him Eastern supplies were cut off: international authority nothing after the reimbursement (1) Pooling "without regard would infringe the coun- of the shareholders or he has to to ownership," of the companies

efficient use. M. George-Picot said the sovereignty really is. Suez Canal Company could among the companies by sale. Furthermore, the present halt traffic through the canal loan or otherwise, to meet Big Three proposal is not a on any day it wanted as the America's needs as well as those Nasser was not sending a renew one. It was seriously majority of the non-Egyptian of Western Europe and other presentative to the London suggested to Russia ten pilots on the canal had re- Areas affected.

asked them to remain at their of transport.-Reuter, posts until the end of this month .- France-Presse.

Guards Sail

Southampton, Aug. 14. The liner "New Australia" over the years, but not so sailed from Southampton this the canni whose prime ovening with a contingent of purpose is to provide an Grenadler Guards and other open waterway for the ship units for the Mediterranean. ping of the world. Mr The band of the Grenadler Shepilov will be guilty of Guards played "Rule Britannia" bad faith if he now at- as the "New Australia" put out

> Crowds lining the harbour cheered.-France-Presse.

Guarantee Given

The Hague, Aug. 14. The Egyptian Embassy here issued a communique today aswhatever their initial re- suring all employees, irrespecactions to Nasser's by- tive of nationality, now working haviour, have had time to for the nationalised Sucz Canat think out all the implica- Company, that they would be

The communique said emploby the French delegation. of the canal. Even Nasser yeas would be granted "the same has given small signs that advantages they enjoyed before he might be agreeable to as far as pay, bonuses and other control of the waterway, which some sort of compromise, gratifications are concerned, as well as pensions calculated on in the United States also a spokesman sald.

Oil Committee

Washington, Aug. 14. Formation of a "Middle East Emergency Committee" to pool petroleum industry to meet the bo able to sustain his today by the Government's its Middle East build-up. defiance of the proffered Mobilisation Chief, Mr Arthur

Planes Arrive oil needs of Europe and the planes landed at Nicosis sirport

Reuter.

Sucz.

were given.

7.30 a.m.—Reuter-

French Plan

Paris, Aug. 14.

ference adopts, but whether, United States it Bucz shipping tonight in the biggest wirlist should be lacking in our duly the statement would be handed in his own interests, he will were cut off was announced operation since Britain started if we did not take elementary to the Prime Minister in the First reports, not immediately guard British interests, offecconfirmable, said it was believed tively should the need arise," canal dispute, is a matter He said the Committee, made French troops were smong the be said. up of 13 of the companies arrivals .-- United Press.

Brilish plan, perhaps bringing

Convoys Reduced

Port Said, Aug. 14.

national authority for the water-

Lloyd and the United States and French Foreign Minister, Mr John Foster Dulles and Christian Pineau recently. SUEZ SIDELIGHTS

No Disagreement

"There is no disagreement between the three of us about them. They were sent, over a veek ago, to all the Governments invited to the conference." Explaining the proposals, Mr Lloyd sald the authority's purpose should be to take over the Canal's operation to ensure it functioned efficiently as a free, epen and secure international want peace." waterway; to cosure to Egypt equitable return and to arrange payment of fair compensation marched to the Prime Mirister's to the Suez Canal Company.

technical working and adminisintivo organs.

"In all this there would be by Egyptians and the Egyptian Miss Barbara Castle, had Government," Mr Lloyd sald. (2) Exchanging of crude oil very much that President Sir Anthony Eden's residence.

"They will return home as crude oil production and refining Government might yet "see fit hundred people, followed by soon as the order is given," he in overseas fields as may be to enter into an agreement four cers. Police forced them said. But the company had needed to reduce the difficulties tlong the lines I have in- to stand on the opposite side of

Link With UN

Referring to the composition Daily convoys through the of the 22-nation London confer-Sucz Canal will be reduced from ence, Mr Lloyd declared: "We four to three from tomorrow. have acted and inlend to act in nationalised Canal the spirit of the Charter of the Authority announced today United Nations. The method by there would be two south-bound which we have chosen to proceed convoys from here daily but is directly in accordance with only one north-bound from article 33 of the Charter.

"It has always been in our No reasons for the change thoughts that there should be some link between the inter-From tomorrow, south-bound national authorities which we convoys will leave here at 2 a.m. propose and the United Nations. and 10 a.m. instead of 11 a.m. to give Parliament an carly and 11 p.m. The single convoy chance to discuss the result of

from Suez will depart at the conference." Colonel Nasser was a "military Ludy Eden drove up from an dictator" who "maintains himself evening at the theatre. There in power by methods so well were boos as the Prime Minister known to us from what hap- and his wife left their car. But pened in certain countries in the Sir Anthony stood on the steps The French Cabinet today approved a plan for the interinter-war years." national administration of the

Suez Canal which will be subdespite the agreement on the to be called inside. There were Sudan and the Suez Canal base cries of "We want peace." The plan provided for both better relations had not come. international administration and He charged that Colonel Nasser No details were given. his own forces. Britain had made an appointment,"

(Conid. on. page 5, del. 4) | Street -United Press.



Mr Selwyn Lloyd

CROWD BOO EDEN

Big March On Downing St

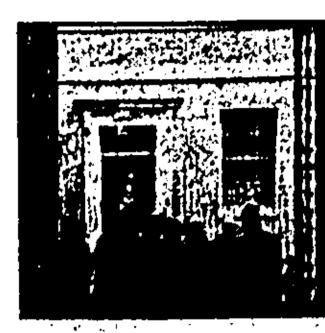
London, Aug. 14.

A crowd gathered outside No. 10 Downing Street tonight, booed the Prime Minister and shouted "We hundred

official residence in Whitehall The authority should consist accompanying two Socialist of a council of administration MPs, bearing a resolution drawn from powers chiefly in- demanding that Britain renounce terested in the Canal with force in the Suez Canal dispute. The pelition was from the

largdy-Socialist group "Movement for Colonial Freedom." try's sovereignty bears no mercase the transit fees if he terminal, storme and transport an important role to be played The MPs, Fenner Brockway and relation to manufact wants to finance the Aswan, facilities to achieve the most in Equations and the Egyptian are processed in the country. brought the petition from a He said that he regretted protest meeting of 400 people to

> By the time the marchers reached Downing Street they He hoped that the Egyptian had become a column of several



Marchers' view of No 10

Brockway and Miss Castle Mr Lloyd declared that arrived, Sir Anthony Eden and

Britain had tried to promote Mr Brockway and Miss Castle mitted to the London conference better relations with him but faced the door of No. 10 waiting

The two MPs then went inwas "misusing Arab nationalism side." When they emerged a could lead to a common Franco- to further his own ambitions." few minutes later, Mr. Brock-Mr Lloyd said that Egyptian way told the crowd "We have troops were moved in to seize not seen Sir Anthony. His prithe property of the Canal com- vate secretary, declined to take pany and Colonel Nasser had the statement to him. This was mobilised about 75 per cent of on the grounds that we had not

13,000 nationals in Egypt, a base There were cries of "ahame" operated by British civilians when Mr - Brockway and Sir About 40 military transport and many ships using the Canal Anthony Eden had been to the "In those conditions we thentre. Brockway added that military procautions to safe- morning.

Mr Brockway and Miss Castle then drove away and the protesting marchers left Downing

RECOVERED FROM DEATH MINE

Brussels, Aug. 14. Another 54 bodies of miners who died in the Marcinelle pit disaster have been brought to the surface today, the seventh day of rescue operations.

Only 22 of them could be M. Jean Rey, Belgian Econo-Of the bodies brought to the this over loudspeakers surface today from the 845 waiting crowds at the pithead level 14 were found crushed added however "other techniunder a roof fall beneath which clans are not so sure that there the fire was still smouldering. It was feared that little vivors, and hope that some men

in that area for the time being, pockets of air that would sustain Efforts to reach the 907 level them have had to be given up for the time being, owing to roof falls, keep up the rescue work with but it is expected that once it maximum energy, as we have has been possible to get past the done from the beginning."most recent fall, the rescuers France-Presse & Reuter. will reach an iron door which will possibly mark the limit of the fire.

All the men brought to the surface today had perished of asphyxiation due to carbon dioxide polsoning.

An announcement today said day warned Parliament that that "some experts" think all the serious flood danger 252 miners entembed in the threatening the rich towns along bitter heart pit are dead-killed the Murray river, following a disaster, a week ago.

nuca Minister, who amounced is not a chance of finding surfurther progress could be made found refuge in breathable

"That is enough to make us

Flood Warning

Adelaide, Aug. 14. The South Australian Premier, Mr Thomas Playford, toinstantly on the first day of the year of heavy rains and unusual winter snows.—France-Presse.

SHOP BLAST KILLS 15

Monticello, Aug. 14. | children, two truck drivers, Authorities counted 15 dead and several tourists. today and more than 30 injured. nine of them critically, in dinner time explosion last night which crushed a crowded Monticello cafe "like an egg

Utah Gas Service Co, started last Friday and had not been immediate investigation into the heard of since. blast, which authorities blamed The dead included two Press.

Urgent

London, Aug. 14. British Government spokesman today announced that Prime Minister Sir Anthony Eden was studying an appeal from the Government of Malta, involving "urgent, high level decisions."

The spokesman refused to comment further on the message, which spoke of the "deteriorating state in Malta".

Several days ago, a serious dispute occurred between the Governor, Major-General Sir Robert Laycock, and the Prime Minister Dom Mintoff. The Prime Minister demanded

the repeal of the government's order closing off siveral Maltese bays to fishermen. These bays were to be used as landing places for the flying

boats evacuating British families from the Suez Canal zone. Mr Mintoff had the transmitting towers of a British radio station cut down after the station had refused to broadcast an announcement repealing the governor's order. - France-

Survivors Report Ship's Loss

San Jose, Aug. 14. The Costa Rican banana boat 'Lamasays'' sank off, the Pacific coast of Costa Rica last Saturday with 16 passengers and several children aboard, it was Jearned today.

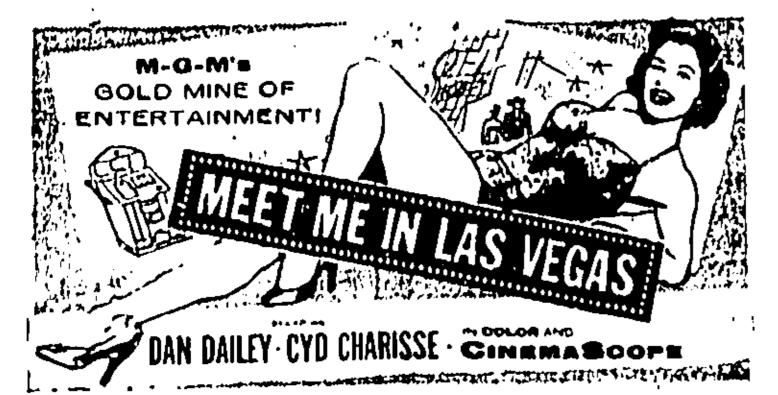
Three survivors managed to swim ashore today near Golfito and Puerto Jimenez, after clinging to pieces of wreckage for nearly four days until they were within reach of land. They were taken to Golfito hospital in a critical condition. The "Lamasays", belonging to a subsidiary of the United Fruit public service commission and Company, left Puerto Jimenez

Several ships left for Golfe on natural gas that accumulated Dulce, where the shipwreck in a shallow basement.—United occured, in the hope of finding other survivors.-France-Presse.



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Hare also has been US Ambassador to Saudi Arabia, Yemen and Labanon. His present post is that of Director-General of the Foreign Service.—United Press.

For African Barrister

Johannesburg, Aug. 14. A special sobing room with

degree at the University of the Wilwater-rand last year, is the first Airican advocate in the Transvaid to be admitted to the

Although a separate robing room has been provided for his use at the Pretoria Supreme Court, accommodation difficulties had arisen in Johannesburg because of the refusal of a section of the Bar to admit him There is already overcrowding in the limited facilities available. - China Mail Special,

Airlift For Iran Flood **Victims**

Wiesbaden, Aug. 14. The US Air Force today se an international airlift in motion for flood victims in Iran.

A giant C-124 Globemaster will pick up 40,000 pounds of clothing and medical supplies in SHOWING TO-DAY To-day At 2.30, 5.00, 7.30 Boyington, England, Iomorrow and fly hem to Tcheran. Two C-119 Flying Boxcars will carry 14,000 pounds of emergency field cooking equipment and rubber boots from Geneva to Iran the

The supplies are being provided by the American Red Cross and the League of Red Cross Societies. Air Force help was asked by the International Red Cross In Geneva - United

and mel an old friend of his, Private William McLaren (40) of Otley, Yorks. He is unmarried and has served 18 years. He first met the Governor in 1946 when Sir John commanded 13 Corps in which McLaren served. The Governor remembered McLaren because they were both in hospital

The Governor of Cyprus, Sir John Harding, visited the

While he was there the Governor visited the cook-house

scene of a recent operation by the Parachute Regiment

"Spread Eagle." (A further attempt to catch terrorists in the

together.—Central Press Photo.

ALLEGED HOLDING

The Nationalist Chinese Government on Formosa still refuses to extradite the alleged saboteur of the Communist Chinese chartered plane Kashmir Princess, Parliament was informed

secretary to Premier Nehru, Formosa. appeared before the legislators and was questioned about the United Kingdom's efforts in have the saboteur extribited to Hongkong,

Khan sald: "India has been informed by

the United Kingdom that

In reply to a question on

A Hamburg man has found a cheap way to obtain pipes. sent him a new one.

PARTISAN ATTACKS DURING CAMPAIGN

The reaction of the Democratic Party convention to a blistering keynote speech by Governor Frank G. Clement last night now makes it clear that President Eisenhower will no longer be immune from fierce partisan attack in the campaign for next November's presidential election.

This is a major change in the "party line", decided upon only recently by the top strategists of the Democratic National

For four years, Democrats, in | President Eisenhower in some particularly amongst members of Congress stoking re-election, that such a strategy would boomerang upon the attacker because of the President's overwhelming popularity with voters of all parties.

Only the intellectuals of the party have kept up a more or less uninhibited fire upon President Eisenhower through a sophisticated party magazine. the Democratic Digest.

But this magazine does not have mass circulation and the intellectuals have long deplored the restraint of the grass-root politicians throughout the country,

All this has been changed China Mall Special. overnight by the impassioned invective of Mr Clement, himself the epitome of a grassreot politician, and the enthusiastic reaction to it not only by the rank and file of the party but also by such eminent leaders as President Truman and Mrs Franklin D. Roosevelt. The core of the Democratic Party campaign for the next three months will henceforth be based on charges against

YOUTHS GAOLED

FOR CARRYING

PETROL BOMB

Two Greek Cypriot

Special court Justice

youths were gaoled for two

years today for carrying a

John told the boys,

Leonidas Demosthenes, 17

and Andreas Zenonos, 15,

"it seems the custom of

Cypriols to use cloth fibre

in the neck of a bottle

when no cork is available.

But if this is done with a

petrol bottle it becomes a

bomb and renders them

liable to life imprison-

Cypriot bars, cabarets and

other places of entertain-

R. N. Beresford.

Restrictions on Greek-

But he warned they

would be closed again if

any violence occurred or

if they were used for dis-

tributing unlawful

pamphists.--United Press.

in Nicosia were

by Commissioner

petrol bomb.

ment."

Nicosia, Aug. 14.

By PAUL SCOTT RANKINE

Washington, Aug. 14.

Committee.

and out of Congress, have been | ways more sweeping and percautiously soft-pedalling direct sonal than those made in preattacks on President Eisen- vious campaigns against Prehower. The theory has been, sidents Roosevelt and Truman. That he has violated the spirit of the Constitution itself by delegating the great powers of his office to associates; that he has been a part-time Pre-

All Changed

munist operating in Kedah dency, even in some Democratic circles, a few months ago to treat criticism of President Eisenhower The leaflets contained a messas something "in bad taste" like criticism of a member of the him to give up and rejoin them Royal Family-and a member because "your mother and I are

illness, and that he has smugly terrorist to surrender were

lage by Ah Ylk's parents asking who was a sick man at that .- old and now we need you."-

Stevenson

Couldn't

Beat Ike

Former President Truman

said today he does not believe

Adiai Stevenson could defeat

President Eisenhower if he

wins the Democratic pre-

Truman said this was why

he decided to endorse Gov.

Averell Harriman of New

York for top place on the

"I don't believe Stevenson

can win and I think Averell

Harriman can," the former

that if Stevenson wins the

nomination in balloting sche-

duled to start on Thursday night,

"I will support him."—United

Thai Terrorist

Asked To

Surrender

Thousands of leaflets ap-

pealing to a Thai Communist

air-dropped over the jungles of

The terrorist, Ah Yik, is be-

lieved to be the only Thai Com-

Northern Malaya today.

Alor Star, Aug. 14.

party ticket next November.

President told reporters.

sidential nomination.

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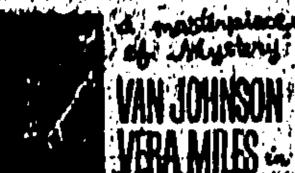












APPOINTED Egypt.

carcer diplomat, to be the new | # States Ambassador to

time, highlighted by the current serious crisis over the Sucz Canal, He succeeds Henry A. Hyroade who recently was nominated by the President to be Ambussidor to the Union of Hare, who joined the foreign

service in 1927, has had extensive experience in Middle East and in Cairo where he has served three times in his diplomatic career. He was vice consul in Cairo in 1031, second secretary of the American Embassy there in 1937 and served ngnin in 1940 as embassy coun-

Special Room

all facilities has been set aside at the Johannesburg Supreme Court for the use of an African advo atc. Mr. Philemon, Pearce Duma Nokwe Mr Noleve, who obtained his

NATIONALISTS PLANE SABOTEUR

New Delhi, Aug. 14.

Saidathali Khan, parliamentary | sequently succeeded in reaching

mountain areas of Cyprus.)

The Kashmir crashed into the South China Sea last year after tiking off from Hongkong, The alleged saboteur was among those who worked on the plane during its stop at the Colony. He sub-

Moscow, Aug. 14.

Matsumoto Returning

It would also mean that the

Russians would refuse to release

the Soviet Union until the com-

pletion of their sentences.

Russo-Japanese

Plans In Air

tion of whether Mr Mamoru Shigemitsu, Japanese

Foreign Minister, would return to Moscow after

aboard a Soviet aircraft for Stockholm at 8.45

He will stay a few hours in | concessions granted by the Soviet

a.m. (Moscow time) tomorrow.

The two-week peace treaty

negotiations in Moscow were

suspended yesterday because of

the London Suez conference but

Possibility .

would return to Moscow after

Japanese spokesman said: "It

Nothing can be said about it. It

is a possibility but it is difficult

Unofficial Japanese sources

sald it was unlikely Wr Shige-

mitsu would return to Moscow immediately after the London

conference, because it was im-

probable the Japanese Govern-

ment would have taken a deci-

slon by that time to sign the

These sources said the decision was linked with the domestic

The sources said the Japanese Government forced a difficult decision because the religial to

sign a treaty on Soviet terms

Japanese political mituations

the London conference,

on

to comment in any way."

no date was set for the resump-

London

depends

peace treaty.

Stockholm and then fly on to Government.

developments.

A Japanese spokesman said today the ques-

No Formal Approach

Formosa authorities refuse to entertain their request for extradition of the alleged culprit on the ground that there is no extradition treaty between the United Kingdom and Formosa," Asked if the United States was approached on the question Khan said no formal approach had been made to the US but indicated that the matter has been informally touched on with US officials.

whether Hongkong took enough precautions to guard the plane in view of an advance warning from Peking that a sabotage attempt was expected, he sald Hongkong authorities reported taking all possible protective

No unauthorised persons were allowed to approach the plane but the saboteur was among those who worked on the aircraft, he sald.—United Press. the London Suez conference, "depends on develop-

The Japanese Foreign Minister is due to leave FREE PIPES Lueneburg, Aug. 14.

When the town of Lucheburg was recently celebrating the 1.000th anniversary of its founding, the Town Council received a letter from a man saying that when he read of this celebration, he was so astounded that his pipe dropped from his the Japanese prisoners still in mouth and broke on the floor. The Town Council promptly

Japanese sources added that Several newspapers published from its exports to Malaya in Mr Matsumoto, who is travel- the story. Then, from several 1955 was 2,389,000,000 Malayan ling to London with his Foreign | ungry letters to the Press and dollars, while the value of goods Minister, would return to Mos- to the Lueneburg Council, it smugged cow in about a week's time and turned out that the same man king the would try to visit the prisoners had practised the same trick on in a camp at Invanovo, north of a number of previous occasions. Malayan dollars.—China Mail Special.

China Mail Special.

Declare War On Smugglers Djakaria, Aug. 14. A member of the Parliamentary Defence Committee,

and Malaya. Indonesia's period was

the Government to "declare war" on the smuggling rings operating between Indonesla

Mr Stamet Ginting, has urged

Scope Of Talks

Callutta, Aug. 14. Mr R. G. Casey, Australian External Affairs Minister, said today that Egypt's absence would greatly weaken the scope of the London conference and would likely prolong the tension.

Mr Casey, speaking to reportere at Dumdum Airport here on his way to London, described the speech by Egypt's President as "moderate" and said it was interesting that he proposed on international conference.

"All we want to do at London conference is to recreate conditions by which the use of this great world utility would be restored to its former status," he

NO ADMITTANCE

In London the Foreign Office said today that since the British Government did not recognise the "no-called government of the German Democratic Republic (East Germany) it exuld not take cognisance of any communication purporting to come from !!."

A spokesman said that the Foreign Office understood that ettempts had been made to deliver to the British Consul-General in Berlin a letter "purporting to come from the Mknistry for Forcign Affairs to the German Democratic Republic."

conference.

The East Germans were not invited to attend the conference and would not therefore, be j admitted to it, the spokesman added.—Reuter,

Peruvian Peak Conquered

by Lionel Terray has climbed there is hardly a Western Chaeraraju Peak, of the diplomat here who believes Cordillera Blanca in the Peru- that the three-power agreed vian Andes, one of the world's document for setting up most difficult mountains, Lima press reported today.

conquered the 20,013-foot peak begins on Thursday. on July 31.

Meanwhile, a group of British climbers, the "British Expedition of Veterans of Everest" is struggling to reach the top of another peak, the Huagarancho. Press reports said they were to find ways and means by being hampered by bad weather. —France-Presse.

DULLES' SUEZ CANAL TACILOS MEETING SUCCESS

Could Weaken Internationalisation Might Bring Renewed Aswan Dam Discussions

Washington, Aug. 14. Secretary of State John Foster Dulles' "stop, look and listen" tactics for avoiding an outbreak of hostilities on the Suez Canal seem to be succeeding, diplomatic sources said today.

It is remarked here that the

1988 Constantinople Convention

is so loosely worded about the

necessity for assuring freedom

of transit for the Canal that it

doer not even provide an au-

Duller is expected to attach

thority to assure this.

Jawaharlel Nehru has

stood higher in Dulles' estimation

than when he decided India

Whatever may be Eden's poli-

tical fate when the conference

ends, there is one factor that may

been seeking since World War

importance to this solidarity.

Big Card

if Egypt can be prevailed upon

by India and other countries to

co-operate. That is the pos-

sibility of the United States

again reviewing the chances of

financing the Aswan Dam.

Persistent reports here indicate

would attend the conference.

They pointed out that the pewers over the Canal and that British Labour Party, like on any powers not specified for the Cyprus issue, is now against this authority would automatistrong action by Prime Minister tally come under the present Sir Anthony Eden for dealing Egyptian authority for running with President Gamal Abdel the Canal, Nassen on the Canal and this came about because Dulles inthere should be "dicent" interval between the first London conference on Sucz and the one that begins there on Thursday for refliction,

They believed the Labour Party policy makes Dulles fairly confident that, even if Thursgreat importance to the Indian duy's conference does delegation helping to find an acceptable formula and it can be succeed, Eden will not dare start hostilities on the Canal sold that Indian Prime Minister with his French allies.

Not Altered

They understood that State Department announcement late yesterday that the United States had not altered its views for an international regulatory authority for the Suez Canil was caused large part by vigorous In the letter a request was demarches to the Department made for visus for members of by French Embassy officials a delegation appointed by the when they read a Washington "so-called German Democratic newspaper report that Dulles Republic" to take part in the now favoured an international supervisory authority for the

> Virtually all the embassies of the European nations vitally interested in the Canal had inquired of the Department about the validity of this report which showed their astonishment as Dulles had not given any inkling of this to the British or French foreign offices.

While Dulles will arrive in London tomorrow morning protesting he is still for "inter-A French expedition headed national operation" of the Canal. the international authority to run the Canal will not be seriously modified by the time Dulles The report said the expedition leaves the conference that

No Authority

Dulles is expected to urge the legal experts at the conference which the international authority has a minimum of regulatory

A British Crossword Puzzle

IN OFFICE

Seoul, Aug. 15. President Syngman Rhee, the oldest head of state in Asia, begins his third term in office today as the and only Chief first Executive the Republic of Korea has ever known.

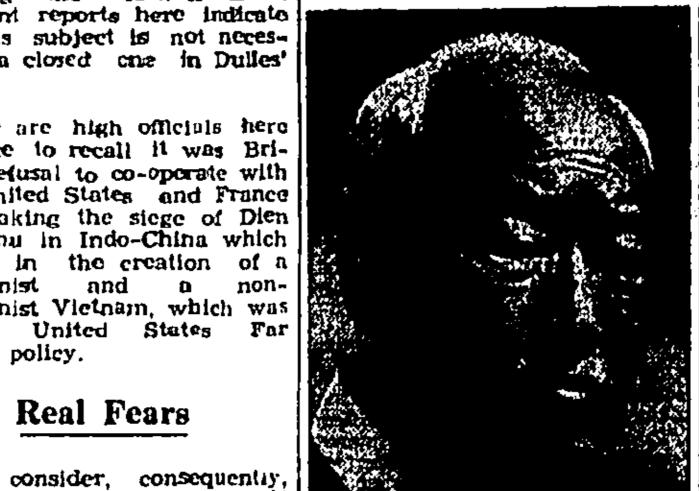
The aging, 81-year-old leader restrain Dulles in manoeuvring of the Republic of Korea's 22 too for away from the British million people, will stand on the and French viewpoints which is front steps of Scoul's vacant, the break-up of tripartite soli- | war-gutted Capitol building darkty, a factor Soviet Russia has 9 a.m. to take the oath of office new Vice-President opposition leader John M Chang, will have no official par President Elsenhower is still in the inauguration ceremony known to attach the greatest except to receive a bouquet of

UNIFICATION

flowers.

Rhee is expected to make a 15-minute speech reaffirming Certainly Dulles has a big determination to unity card to play behind the scenes Korea shore up his country's economy and continue his fight against communism. South Korea also colebrates

the 11th anniversary of its in-



SYNGMAN RHEE

dependence from Japan today with a giant display of armed might. Some 5,000 soldiers sailors, airmen and marines and hundreds of weapons and motorised equipment will parade past the Japanese-built Capitol building in the largest show of military strength in the young

nevertheless the administration United States and Nationalist has found it necessary to plan China, including US Ambassador for an increase of American and Welter C. Dowling Senator. third inaugural coremony.

home for the occasion.

The USS Lynd and USS Borie arrived at the southern terminus of the Canal here on what the US Embassy in Caire termed "routine movements" from the Mediterranean. Banners welcoming foreign

FRENCH COMMANDOS FOR CRISIS AREA



The French destroyer Kabyle, loaded with marine commandos, leaves Toulon for the crisis-hit Suez Canal area.—Express Photo.

The Embassy released

charged Egypt has "actually

detained" 10 ships for carrying

cargoes to Israel and "has ex-

an unwilling surrender to its

now fear may happen to them,

has in fact been Israel's lot for

many years," the statement said.

exploited the Canal for purposes

of her national policy by using

it as a means of economic block.

ade and by hindering the free

and unhindered passage of

ships of other nations carrying

Ships Detained

"The Government of Israel

negotiations. Over

trusts that in the deliberations

future of the Sucz Canal Israel's

rights will be fully taken into

victim of the Egyptian action

in contravention of the interna-

"The Government of Israel is

entitled to hope that the mari-

time powers will not rest and

will not consider the issue of

the Suez Canal settled unless

and until Israel ships and ships

under other flags carrying

cargoes to and from Israel are

guarante:d free passage through

the Canal along with ships of

all other nations and ships

Can't Be Certain

whalsoever and thereby remains

"As long as Egypt refuses the

Wellington Aug. 14.

A contract thas been let for

the building of the first stage of

Wellington's Anglican Cathedral.

-Chinese Main Special.

going to other destinations...

tional character of the Canal.

"Ships actually

account.

"Ever since 1948 Egypt has

"Thus, what other nations

own illegitimate regulations,"

which

"background paper"

Israel Expects Blockade To Be Discussed

London, Aug. 14. The Israeli Embassy served notice tonight that Israel expects the London Suez conference to take into consideration Egypt's eight-year-old blockade of Israeli shipping in the Suez Canal.

Chinese Troops Reported On Burma Border

Rangoon, Aug. 14. Reports from Northern Burma today disclosed that at least 6,000 Chinese troops were massed along Israel ships in the Canal and the northernmost border cargoes to and from Israel.... of Burma adjoining Tibet.

The Chinese were reported to have concentrated at four border points: Dibulka, Gamlangka, Naminiika and Sharaka, About half of the 6,000 have establish- route to Israel include: ed themselves 10 miles inside Danish ship, one Swedish, two the Burmese border, mainly in Norwegian, two Italian and four the Lonsenghum area, 40 miles Greek ships. . . . north of Putao, the northernmost Burmese town.

The troops are reported to have removed several boundary posts erected in 1914 in accorcance with the boundary agreement between the British and Tibetan governments,

NOT OFFICIAL Although there have been no

official confirmations on the number of Chinese troops, the Kachin State Government admitted the presence of an "unknowny number of troops who had crossed the border. A Kachin frontier officer has been sent to the border to study the situation and report to the

Moscow, Aug. 14. From Thursday this week, foreign tourists visiting Russia passage of ships of any mational personal spending money, it was

announced here today. The concession - to cover the arbiter regarding the use of such items as laundry, postage, the Canal, no other nation can theatre tickets, tobacco and be certain that it may not find drinks - was ennounced at a itself in a similar position in Press conference by Mr Borls future," the statement said. Kharchenko, deputy director of United Press. Intourist, the official Soviet

tourist agency. The inducement, within the encourage foreign visitors. -China Mail Special.

Forced Labourers

The United States Government Information Service said today that during and India is not willing to the past six years of Communist rule, about 15,000,-000 Chinese, or one in every 40, were forced into slave labour.

torled from other governments to Dr Karl A. Wittfogel, who was described us America's doremost authorities on Oriental society."

- "1. Labour on which the

Communist regime relies heavily to build large statedirected projects, and,

tony labour, which is to China an essentially new and alien form borrowed from the Soviet Union.

He said that not all who enter the corrective labour camps are fortunate enough to leave. "There is ample evidence that the death rate in the prisons and camps is high, though how high is hard to guess," he said. --"Israel has been the first United Press.

Ex-Envoy's Son Becomes **American**

 New York, Aug. 14. Freeman Koo, 33 son of a ormer Chinese Ambassador to the United States and his wife, Edith, were sworn as American citizens today in Federal Court Brooklyn

Koo president of the New York brokerage firm of Freeman. Frank and Heag is the only one of the four children of Dr V. K. Wallington Koo who was not born in the United States. His faither retired in umbassador two years . ago and has remained a New York resident, The Company of the Company

The couple were sworn with some 300 new dizens Federal Judge Matthew! Abruzzo --- United Press.

15m Chinese

Washington, Aug. 14.

The calculation was attributed

The official agency quoted him as saying that two broad categories of compulsory wageless labour are being used in Mainland China....

* "2. Corrective or reforma-

the Mao regime both as a means of économic exploitation and as a weapon for political correion. intimidation and Red-education. according to Wittfogel.

ARBITRATION AND KASHMIR

Nehru And Ali Still Corresponding

New Delhi, Aug. 14. Premier Nehru told Parliament today that correspondence between himself and Premier Mohamad Ali of Pakistan on a proposed "no war" declaration is continuing.

offer to Pakistan to sign such a declaration, Nehru gave a detailed review of India's position going back to 1949 when the offer was first made.

Answering a question on the

present status of the Indian

putes must automatically be referred to arbitration when negotiation and mediation failed,

India replied that while arbitration should not be ruled out for certain cases, it could not be applied to all cases and that the method of peaceful settlement must vary in accordance with the nature of the dis-

UNWILLING

Nehru read to Parliament the original proposal which emphasised the need for peaceful settlement of all issues in view of the age-old links between the two peoples and the fact they are neighbours.

He said there is no country in the world which is ready to submit all issues to arbitration have issues like Koshmir submitted to arbitration.--United

Two-Hour Strike In Damascus

Damascus, Aug. 14. A two-hour city-wide strike to 'demonstrate sympathy for Egyptian President Nasser was conducted here this afternoon.

The strike was a public display of the nation's pro-Egypt position, which was also manifested today by the Government's refusal to allow hine British oil tank cars to transit Syrian territory from Jordan on grounds it was "war material"

Shops, markets, communications facilities and public houses closed in response to a strike call by the "Syrian-Arab Organisation for Egypt's Support." A mass meeting was scheduled for later in the day to protest against the London Sucz conference.

Syrian : Customs authorities ordered the tank cars destined. for Cyprus back to Jordan on the ground that Customs regulations did not allow foreign: war material to cross Syrian

Abdul Wohhob El-Azhrak, Syrian director of Customs, in making the announcement said. it was unconnected with the Canal situation.—Utilied Press.

Beer Bottle Attack On Comrades

Berlin, Aug. 14. East German Communists sald today clarmers in Saxony rebelled against the Government's farm policy. The Communist Party leader in the Sexony Borough of Pirna soid farmers win a mumber of villages gave vent to their anger et discriminatory brac-

The leader, Rientified as Comanonapperson and consequent apperson and the second apperson apperson apperson apperson and the second apperson and the second apperson ap

The USS Loyal and USS Bories arrived at the southern Committee of the Committee Commit

that this subject is not necessarity a closed one in Dulles' There are high officials here

who like to recall it was Britain's refusal to co-operate with the United States and France for breaking the siege of Dien Bien Phu in Indo-China which resulted in the creation of a Communist and Communist Victnam, which was

ugainst

Lastern policy. Real Fears

They consider, consequently, Eden should not be surprised if Dulles shows himself for from anxious to see hostilities break out in the Canal zone.

Dulles has very real fears that an outbreak of hostilities in the Canal zone would result in sweeping nationalisation of foreign oil companies and their pipelines in the Near East, which could result in chaos and swing a great deal of Asla to

the Soviet side. With Dulles now fairly con- republic's history. fident Britain and France will not try to selze the Canal area. the re-routing of tankers in case

hostilities did occur. While not supporting Britain and France directly, the United States would have to support them indirectly with petroleum products.--United Press.

US Destroyers

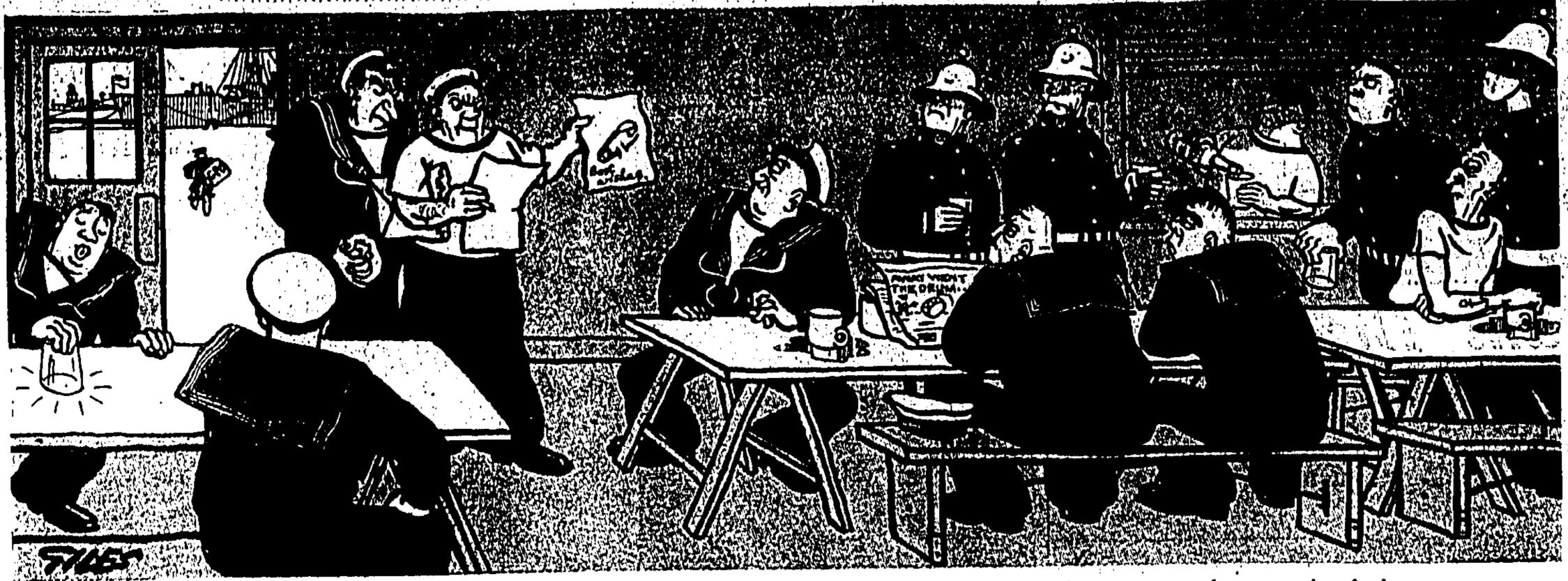
Suez Canal today without in- display.

Central Government.—France-Foreign envoys

Venezuelan oil supplies and for Bourke B. Hickenlooper, and will be given 25 roubles (about Chinese Foreign Minister George 45 shillings sterling) a day as Yeh, will attend the country's

REPRESENTATIVES

Korgan representatives and ambassadors to the United Nations, the United States and Nationalist China have returned Seoul is decked in its best party finery for the inaugural. Merchants are vying for awards framework of existing prices, is Two United States Navy for the best decorated building part of a drive by Intourist to destroyers passed through the and most artistic show window



"It says: 'We were interested to read that your big drum blew away on parade yesterday. You may remember, some time back, one of our officers fell off his horse and the following morning some joker left a little pot of glue on the guardroom step. We enclose a safety-pin as we wouldn't like to see your big drum blow away in front of Colonel Nasser Signed: The Brigade of Guards.'"

Pathetic! The copy-cat women

woman is assertive, assured, are also symbols. and a dominant force in and

is losing her man. To watching them happily cover up that fear she gives and she begins to fret: the impression of being so "Does he want me to walk

day in London a large more easily?" American woman's magazine | 1 know that sounds crazy, those stars, -an intelligent magazine- but in fact it happens. Toshowed me many letters day you can see hundreds from its readers.

where a part of that fear of -trying to turn themselves

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It's Fun Finding Out - 2nd series

HERE is a wide- losing a husband, losing a spread myth outside man, springs from. It America that the springs from show-business average American -from the film stars who

completely certain and confident of herself.

Just before I left New behave like Gardner? If I behave like Gardner? If I Ident of herself.

Does he want me to look or
Just before I left New behave like Gardner? If I York to come for this holi- do, shall I hold my man

of American women-and In those letters I saw not only women in America

and a dominant force in and out of the home.

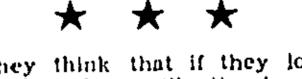
I believe that is a myth because in fact the great fear of the American woman fear of the American woman fear of the American woman watching them happily

A woman sees Marilyn Monroe or Ava Gardner so successful up there on the successful up there on the watching them happily

into cheap imitations of him feel he is quite a fellow

slops over into reality in a marriage he would be plain this way the result is scared. usually fatal.

In London now I see young girls tottering along on too-high heels, with their hair looking like an unmade bed and their bustline exaggerated.



They think that if they look like that they will attract men and hold them. When I was a young girl, not so long ago, mine wasn't a strict home by any means, but I would have been thrashed if I had made up

It is to silly because one of the things I have learned about interfere with their dreams citing wemen he goes to see in because the situation is different. It comes from understanding arrived she is going to be put surface to be so sexy.

girls if he wants to-it makes of that jealousy.

and he is happy about M. But that deesn't mean he would want to be married to to Ava

wants his wife to dress up in America married to handsome and I have been married 11 thick ear, but I do suggest that Lollo's answer was "to throw a light sweaters or try to look men-actors some of them, years. On our 10th anniversary the clergyman's advice seems glance at her husband and say: like a like star. Then other What do they do when they he gave me a gold medal which superfluous in a city embracing What I want more than anymen might begin to whistle see their husband eyeing an- I wear on my bracelet. It is the Gorbals, where husbands thing else is a baby." after her-and he'd hate that.

The way to hold a man is not with such superficial symbols. It is personality that counts. A man has an ego, so feed it.

a mind-not just a pretty figure. lucky to be married to mel" all the washing-up I have to do such a success." for you!" isn't the way to hold a man. That over-assertiveness werried feeling about those ex- handing out advice is difficult ment of Grace Kelly.



HOLLYWOOD FILMS AS "FROM HERE TO ETERNITY," HAS THE LEAD IN THE FILM OF "THE KING AND I," COMING TO HONGKONG BOON

There are few neighboursand they've got worries too, divorce is not the answer There is only the cinema-and when there are problems be-There is only the cinema—and when there are problems be-now television. The woman cause, unless the woman makes the couples more at some displacement.

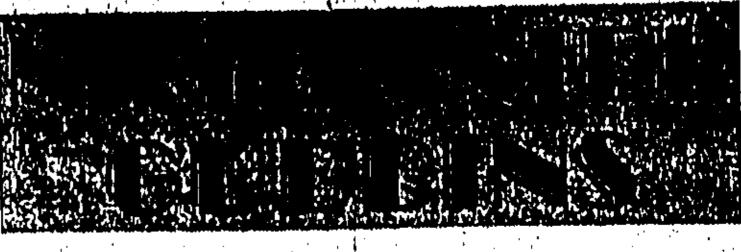
A man wants his woman to have have seen them make friends with the girl and they say to of it, Telling him: "Arcu't you her: "We're having some people

marked. "Distinguished mar- thump their wives regularly not riege medal - for 10 years' to remove complexes but to meritorious service." That was a big joke when winter.

he gave it to me-and we laughed about it-but I'm proud

And I have learned this about in this evening. Do please come men: I have not held my husis not the way to cover up a men makes me realise that Ava Gardner or the cool detach- see women sawn in half.

about a film star or any other the cinema. That springs from in every family. And when a yourself and realising that your through a mincing machine, prewoman who appears on the jealousy and I know there are woman is looking after four husband may think of other sumably for the entertainment places—remote places in America children with no help at home women during the day but you of an untapped audience which Let a man whall after the —where it is difficult to get rid it is tough to keep a sense of are the only one he wants to has been longing to see a woman come home to at night.



know by now we are right in the middle of the silly season.

have severe summers but try have poked their noses into often get a few hours' sunshine at this time of the year, the natives, who have I am referring to the followers been in deep freeze for 11 of Oswald Mosley, who should months, wake from their of nonsense at his advanced long winter sleep and go pgc. happily nuts.

Even in countries like Egypt, where they are accustomed to heat, you find leaders of the people, such as Lance-Corporal Nasser, going off the deep end, calling Americans liars because they won't lend him money, and then pinching the Suez Canal.

here our summer malaise takes a different form. Yorkshiremen have a reputation of being among the sarrest inhabitants of a country renowned for its eccentrics. But what do we find going on in Yorkshire now?

"I filled ten bowler hats with ments rather than ability have treacle. My actual time was 59 been the selling angle. min, 10sec. I was helped a little by a following wind, but I owe everything to my trainer."

so much happiness in filling last that the public, which cerbowler hats with treacle. Ask a psychlatrist. Don't ask me bear the sight of them any more. why he wanted a trainer and a following wind. Ask the Sports Editor, I prefer to leave it as it is—a silly season classic in its married film stars, of course. own right.

clergyman, apparently under the mothers, or want to be mothers. influence of the Dog Star Strius (hence Dog Days in July and August, when this star is sup- of Havilland has produced a posed to give people funny baby. Lana Turner expects one deas ask an astrologer) who in January. Vivien Leigh is has offered this advice on betting on December, and Google marriage:

"Some young husbands and wives need to beat each other to remove certain complexes. These

As I know nothing about ed that Sam Goldwyn asked women I am unable to say if a Lollo to be the star in a new So it doesn't mean that he I know intelligent women in My husband Tony Bartley girl feels more at ease with a film, "The Boy and the Dolphih," keep themselves warm in the delightful I think I should warn

Silliest people

or shouting at him: "Look at over—you'll make the evening band by being anything else MOST of the year Mrs Sheila but me. Self-confidence does not WI Hughes, wife of a magician, she becomes a mother more come from copying any film is sawn in half for the enter- than once it ceases to be news. What I have learned about star—whether it is the fire of talnment of those who like to The same may be said about

put through a mineing machine.

A giant mineer full of jagged lenives and spikes has been specially made for the lob.

And, as if strikes were not In England, where we usually occur about this time), the sillest people in the coun-

You must have guessed that

When we were both young he had his strong-arm bullies and I had my own political party with the simple slogan of A Sock On The Jaw For Everybody.

In this way I hoped to settle all political arguments. Sometimes in moments of disillusignment I think I may have been right.

Silliest publicity

TS it the silly season or sheer A desperation on the part of Press agents that has changed the line of publicity for film stars (female)?

For many years vital measure-

Bosoms have been bursting through the pages of picture papers for so long that press Don't ask me why he found agents may have realised at tainly includes me, can hardly

> So what is the noo line? Why, brother, it is maternity. For

Now they have either become Then there is the Glasgow mothers, or are going to be

According to the news Olivia Withers is looking forward to November.

Then a headline shouted at me. "I Want A Baby, Says

A message from Paris report-

Although this is all cosy and the press agents that maternity as publicity angle is a dead

A film star wanting to be a mother is nows. A film star becoming a mother is news. If her vital measurements.

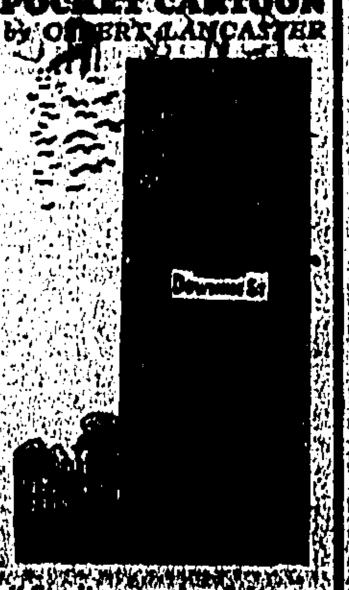
Sillier—and sillier

A S of the police haven't enough on their hands, two constables saved three white mice from sunstroke in a Derbyshire pet shop.

The latest skin cream for

A Mr John Kelley says he saw flying saucer over the York-

A grocer in Wales, standing outside the local tavern, also like a Cheddar cheesel As a grocer he must know there are ino real Cheddar cheeses in Bri-There are a balcony and a Zza Zza has her "working is to the compact and modern, ithw than Grauman's concrete tain, because they are mostly. Unless this one was export-



ask me they're more likely's

DON IDDON IN HOLLYWOOD:

THE SARONG GOES INTO SIDEWALK MUSEUM

complex of contradic-MGM's Foreign Publicity Director, met me at International Airport and, as we drove to Beverly Hills, said: "There is quite an economy wave here. Cameramen are being cut down, or just hired Chinese Creeds & Customs Vol. I \$18.00 on a one-job basis, and a lot

> At this, moment five 25.00 Cadillacs in a flock passed sweetest persons in the Holly- thould be more unapproachable. D Chinese Theatre is an old-8.50 us with a sigh of exhausts, wood jungle, Bogart, and As a fully fledged star she is fashloned barn compared to any is required reading. This sheet

On the surface Hollywood and 7.50 Beverly Hills, which is its satel-7.50 lite, have never looked more

5.00 lush. No Bibles

4.00 T. AM staying at the opulent Beverly Hilton Hotel, which claims to be standing on the 3.00 most, valuable piece of real 1.50 ostate in the world barring New 1.50 York's Fifth Avenue.

1.50 The hold is full of wealthy

.90 Texans and their glossy wiver.

of a Bible in every room, there emeralds for premieres. is a copy of Conrad Hilton's blography: "The Silver Spade." similarity of names.

Frank Sinatra, very hot at the are all insured," of little people have got the box office just now, despite his. You must not address this dismally dull latest film, actress as "Mac" but always as "Johnny Concha"

Davies, before her stroke, gave in careering around on a bleycle.

appearing in the Diana Dors film. The days when Glorin Swan- also went Harold Lloyd's

Array of jewels

Outline Relief Map of China

Asia

A

refrigerated supboard in jewels'-prenounced "verking" the glass and adobe ranch most of the air-conditioned -for previews, and her more rooms in the hotel, and, instead valuable diamonds, rubies, and

But the most valuable collec-This swagger hotel has not tion of jewels belongs to Mac replaced the Beverly Hills Hotel, West. She will pour a hunk of which strenuously opposed Con- diamond into your lap and when rad Hilton naming his place the you say: "Aren't you frightened Beverly Hilton because of the of losing some of them?" she says: "Every one has been photo-But it draws the top store graphed by the FBI, and they

"Miss West."

Johnnie Ray, for whom Marion hands shout: "Hi, Diana," or

house, easy to run.

still plenty of crackpots in Lemour-she's still around drop her sarong on the side- tent revival meetings. walk of Hollywood and Vine Father Roberts, who calls the other day, in a stunt to himself Bishop Royal Priest

Payement shrine

Lamour, suitably emiling, from it, Its exposees are re-

"I Married of Woman," and who son had cars rather similar to glassless speciacles, Cecil B. de says that my man who has Lady Docker's are over. Mille's black megaphone, II phiblas, fetiches, and

counter the footprints in the of the Holy Church," gives away Chinese Theatre.

a militi-thousand-dollar recop. Anyway, the Beverly Hilton is dropped her earong into a garded as gospel by many of the tion, to which 600 were invited the latest, and perhaps the last, small lighted cubicle cut into tans, and 1,000 attended.

Adolpho Menjou who is Hollywood magnificence, Into the glass of enshrinement Grace in discurace.

losies on the Southern Call- gold gramophone record from men have sworn to his that fornia market.

Bing Crosby representing the Metro boys offered Reinfor half
Diring and Dennis Hamilton millionth recording of Bing's a million dollars it he will par-Local comment is that no one

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Whis is still a zony town for Extravagance and eccentricity extreme and elaborate; religion ing fiself he biust have been are dwindling, but there are Almee Semple Macpherson's but mistaken; pepel has many, offshoots. ollywood.
I went to see Dorothy vival Centre" and "Life in Douth Valley and hundreds ch concrete outside Grauman's avery Sunday 1,000 bottles of miracle oil for healing prace tically everything." This is a place of unbridled Barbara Stanwick, one of the Incidentally, our girl Dors DY the way, Grauman's gossip and rumous land the scandal magazine, Confidential,

Walk of Fund.

Grace in disgrace

neuroses. It bitterly resents Grace Kelly abandoning it for

· JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Ruffing Tricks Set Declarer

By OSWALD JACOBY

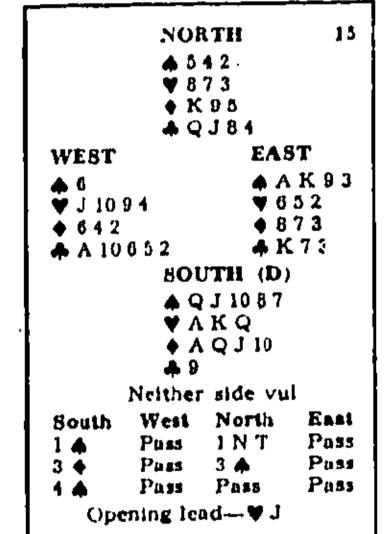
try to make declarer ruff some your adaptability in the usual sense side suit. The idea is to use up declarer's trumps in the hope that you will wind up with more ciple is illustrated in today's hand.

West opened the jack of queen. South led the queen of king. East now had to make a key play

East could be pretty sure that any chance to defeat the contract. The best shot was to play South for a singleton small club with pretty solid holdings in the other suits

make declarer ruff clubs. this purpose he began by leading the king of clubs rather than a

When this cord held, East led a low club, forcing South to ruff, Declarer next led the jack



of spades, forcing out East's ace. East could now lead a third club, forcing South to ruff again.

At this point South had only one trump while East had two trumps, East was therefore sure to make another trump trick. defeating the contract.

East would not have defeated the contract if he had begun the clubs by leading a low eard in mates that suit. West would win with the ace and would return a club, Dummy would play the jack, and East's king would make South ruff. Dummy's queen of clubs would control the suit, and the defenders would be unable make South ruff a second time

V+CARD Serve

Q-With both sides vulnerable, the bidding has been: South West North East 1 Heart 2 Diamonds You, South, hold:

AK72 ♥J75 ◆AQ AQJ632 What do you do? A-Bid two no-trump. This shows balanced distribution,

stoppers in the opponent's suit. and about 12 to 14 points. TODAY'S QUESTION

The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South, hold: **★K72 ¥J75 ◆AQ #KQJ32**

What do you do? Answer Tomorrow

YOUR BIRTHDAY

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15

PORN today, you have a forceful deal of travelling in this country and D personality and magnetic charm abroad. You have a talent for getwhich make it easy for you to get, ting at the facts and you would do along with all kinds of people under well in factual reporting or in any varying circumstances. While you type of research which has to do do have a high degree of adapt- with getting basic facts from inability, you make use of it enly dividuals.

inconveniences. There may come a intimates. as a defender, you usually time when you may need to utiline

usually being able to gain the co- Hines Page, noted journalist. operation of competent helpera You are, by nature, a rather resthearts, and South won with the less individual and must have work which intrigues you. Fond of change, birthday star and read the corresyou might do well in some career ponding paragraph. Let your birthspades, and East won with the which calls open you to do a great day Mar be your daily guide.

24-Aug. 23)--further your major interests

You may be a little more adventure- importange at this time. They can, some than usual, especially in the in fact. Improve business, too. realm of love and romance. LIBRA (80pt. 24-Oct. 23)--Over-optimism can bring on trouble, ground when making decisions

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)~ Cultural and Intellectual interests lare highly favoured just now Your hunches can be almost psychic

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)-He highly practical, especially when it comes to business affairs, One slip can mean Rections loss.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)-This is one of your better days this month, so take full advantage of all that this 24 hours may bring

CHESS PROBLEM

By E. PALKOSKA Black, 8 pieces

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BY . THE . WAY . by Beachcomber

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safely be left to those who are cent demonstration, after which competent to undertake the he was unable to undo himself, work. Informed criticism is and had to be carried out always welcome, and may be ignomintously by ushers. helpful, but ignorant chatter by those who have never handled Mimsie Slopcorner chemical coke, and are simply basing their case on a prejudice, or on what they have been told WIMSIE SLOPCORNER has he was about to tell Picky Poo. distinctly.

by unqualified observers, will will just announced that Mrs "We are going to the country Knarf laughed as he patted next week," said Knarf.

Ret us as a pation, nowhere. For Whibble had guessed correctly next week," said Knarf.

Picky gently on the head. mind our own business.

Cocklecarrot intervenes

mouths and their heads in the tea tent. nower-pols are wasting the time of the court.

Snapdriver: Milital I am tryborderline botween voluntary to him. and involuntary confordonism.

Cooklecarrot: Nobody has suggodied il tout the the detendant . KNEW an exceptionally elect, thing, "is a poth with stone and Iwisted his body out of its L. intelligent boy who every wooden steps, lending down to normal chanc involuntarily. He time his mother said "It's nine the bottom of the bill. First you exhibs to having slept in his o'clock," replied, "What is?" go down past a lawn. Then you books with the object of facili- After a few years this habit got come to a regular parded on one tailing the arrangement of his on her nerves, and she kept, the side and a rock garden with a less reting his pack, The action time to herself.

GREAT deal of nonsense is was premeditated, and what we foolishness. That the defendant is not a skilled contortionist has l It is an activity that can been amply proved by the re-

this reason—if for no other—the the weight of a cake at the Picky Poo wagged his tail. It took a great deal of talkforthright condemization of this Nudgeworth Fete. The mayor again but still didn't say any- ing, Knarf thought to himself, going to the country next week! idle talk by a leading processor stepped forward to kiss her thing, which rather disappointed is to be applauded. Let us all hand, Mimsie stepped back. Knarf, He thought the least "Only foreigners kiss people's Picky Poo might do was to bark. Cocklecarrot: We seem to be a misounding kiss on Miss Auto
hands," she said coldly. "O.K.,"

shouted the mayor, "here's an country and them he'll be so happy that he'll have to bark,"

thought Knarf to himself. losing sight of the main issue, mation's check. The crowd irrelevances about men applauded this act of gallantry. their elbows in their Mimsle retired in confusion to

An alert, intelligant boy will We're going to live on the top ing to establish the frontier or question every statement made of one of the hills, in a big

| walting for Picky to my any-

when it is to your advantage. If You show toyal devotion in Your you dislike your environment, at personal attachments but are not home or at work, you are more one to make close friends easily, likely to adapt it to your proferences. You may have a host of casual THEN you have four trumps rather than adapt yourself to any nequalitances, yet a small office of

Among those born on this date are: Napoleon Bonaparte, emperor: Edna Ferber, Katharino Brush and You have executive ability and Sir Walter Scott, authors; Ethel know how to delegate work. You Barrymore and Mary Nash, actresses; trumps than he has. The prin- distike dull routine and would much J. J. Shubert, producer; Thomas E. rather be espectred with long-term Lawrence, archaeologist and soldier; planning. You are fortunate in John Torrey, botanist; and Walter

> To find what the stars have store for you tomorrow, #elect your

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16

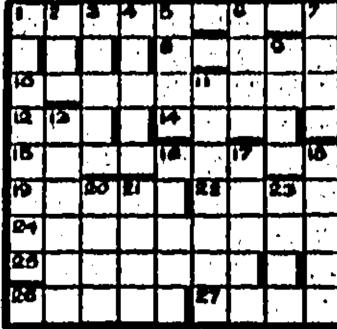
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)he needed a club trick to have Follow your intuitions today and Make the very best possible use of you will make the right decisions to existing conditions and seek to PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 21)-VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)- Social contacts can be of the utmost

> ARIES (Mar. 22-Apr. so keep at least one foot on the at home or at the office, and you will find that it is helpful to pro-

> > TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)-Be sure of your values this morning if making important decisions, You may wish to combine artistic and business interests

> > GEMINI (May 22-June 22)-Keep to a single objective today and don't deviate from your major line of procedure if you want good

CANCER (June 23-July 21)-Put your best foot forward in all things now. You can afford to be a little more aggressive than usual



Cone is mixed up before the roar and of the hunter. (9)
Mrs. Worthington is enjoined to keep her daughter off it. (8) it's a standard of comparison 12. He's a little supernatural. (8) 15. They don't know what the rights are doing, often enough 19. The cowboy is an expert with

24 Across of a roung pilot. (4. 24. I love unto an anagram. (9) 25. Longings. (7) 26. They hold up the pit. (5) 27. They house the flora. (4)

22. This flight is a big step in the

1. Was good. (8) 2. Partner of neither. (3) 8 is prominent at Beachy Head 4. It could manage two games of

bridge. (5)

5. Employer (4) 6. It adds to end Charlie's dev-7. Divorce town, (4) 9. Present in them that hills (4) 11. Chestauts are, often. (7) 18. Reveal on the departure plat-

ls, Leisure ones should provid Trafficulary and by the

This Funny World



"You caught him - you cat him!"

= WOMANSENSE

KEEP IN TRIM By IDA JEAN KAIN

Why That Tired Feeling?

In from overweights that this practice pounds. They want to know how to beat that tired feeling and lose the excess weight. blood sugar lowers. So

The state of the state of the state of the properties of the state of

Above: This winter hat called "Nana" is of lime coloured velvet, fringed with silver cog plumes.

New Winter Hats

Below: "Cafe Anglais", an evening hat of green velvet decorated with veiled roses.

Both hate are from the winter collection of Rosa Valois.—Agence France-Presse.



CHRONIC complaint Experiments have shown that about the middle of the ofterheddaches. ndds' dreariness.

Energy goes down when the sustenance. This leads to the question is what causes blood pickup, doughnuts and coffee following dinner, will go to

sugar to drop? There is increasing evidence that the kind porary rise in energy, of food eaten and the distribution of the day's calories have considerable to do with blood the appetite, so lunch is apt to that the excess nutrients don't sugar levels and energy supply. be a sketchy affair with a get beyond the nearest spot. It's For example, when most of resultant drop in blood sugar something to think about. the day's food is eaten at one big meal at the end of the day's

activity, these fuel calories are stored as body fat rather than transformed into energy. make matters worse, they tend to be stored largely on the . but we'll get to stomach

that later.

The truth is that the food pattern which fits the time schedule of modern living falls [to meet energy requirements satisfactorily. Analysed, it is i easy to see why. The popular time-saving breakfast of toast, breeze among his scattered jelly and coffee throws sugar into an empty stomach. The carbohydrates -(Sugars starches) get into the blood arranged that Balmain and stream quickly, giving a sudden Jean Desses-two of the

spurt of energy and a temporary biggest Paris designers glow. But that breakfast does not sustain energy for the morn- showed their collections on ing's work, because the blood the same day at the same sugar falls and energy falls with hour.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

windows, try using dacron cur- arrangements on paper first uns. Such curtains can be That is easier than lifting heavy attended his collection. washed in soap or detergent furniture around. suds, then rinsed and put over a clothesline or shower rod to dry, which will take only a very short time. They need little or no truning.

the amount of starch that you a job. use with a hand iron. Less sturch is needed because the automatic ironer exerts a good deal more pressure than does the hand iron.

When furnishing a small room, it is important to pre-plan the use of the available space. Try

If your home has a good many experimenting with furniture

Before tackling un attic-tobasement cleaning campaign, sit down and list all the cleaning supplies and equipment you'll need to do the job, It's annoy-It you have an electric ironer, ing to run out of cleaning you should use only about half powder or soap in the middle of one was in a dark, greyish tweed

on a breakfast of black coffee noon. Then our tired overonly, the blood sugar falls below weight taken a snack - "lust a that when they feel tired the fasting level before lunch- little something to tide her over they turn to food for added time. This can result not only until the evening 'meal," By strength....only to find in that tired feeling, but in dinner time, she has that "beat" backaches and feeling and, to get a lift; over-

> Naturally then, along about 11:00 In the morning, our overweight feels "weak and all gone" and urgently in need of ... which brings another tem-

That pickup takes the edge off cause circulation is so slowed up

After the meal, she's ready to relax in the nearest easy chair. The extra calories, eaten at the habit forming mid - morning dinner but not used for energy make body fat. And where will this fat be stored? Largely on

the stomach and waistline be-

JOY MATTHEWS REPORTS FROM PARIS

To Nefertiti And World War

IN a world of storms and hurricanes Pierre Balmain created hardly a and wind-swept audience today. For someone had



But there were no shocks. surprises; no new ideas or flashes of genius in store for the limited number who georgette.

Suits had short jackets with cross-over waists and straight skirts. Coats were trimmed with leopard and fox collars.

One particularly attractive with a black astrakhan collar.

BLACK WOU HWARD SY ROSE

These are worn with Nefertitl* or big fur off-the-face hats. Evening dresses were distinctly First World War, with harem skirts and cross-over bodices. These were in satin, chiffen, and

There were the usual Pierre Balmain evening dresses in lace, heavily embreidered M. Bolmain called his collection "Jolie Madame de Paris."

Pretty lady of Paris? Well

• NEFERTITI Pharach, lived 3,308 years ago.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

there will be a frog there, Picky

Poo, and water lilles, and per-

Picky Hears Good News

-But It Took A Lot of Talking To Get Him Excited-

By MAX TRELL

IZNARF, the shadow boy with haps goldfish, too. the turned-about found Picky Poo the Brown down the stone and wooden Poodle sitting at the bottom of steps, you go by a pine grove the kitchen steps enjoying the until finally, at the end of the late spring sunshine.

"Hello, Picky," sald Knarf. Picky Poo just looked at of a little road. You cross this Knarf and wagged his tail and little road and what do you supdidn't say anything. Then Knarf sat down on the steps next to Picky Poo, put his arms around Picky's furry neck and said: "Now listen carefully,

great secret." **Great Secret**

my boy. I'm going to tell you a

bit harder than he had wagged end where the brook runs into it before. But still he sald it. nothing. He just waited for Knarf to tell him the great Knarf sald, lifting Picky's head

and the mayor and the bees and the fish in the children."

Then Knart went on aloud: "You've never seen such a big place as the country, Picky Poo. The search for knowledge it goes on and on, with fields and trees and hills and valleys. "From the front of the house

my boy." Knarf waid without

"And then, as you keep going grove, you find yourself of the bottom of the hill at the edge pose you see?" Picky Poo didn't say anything. A Shady Nook "Well, Picky," said Knarf.

you see a pond with willow trees around it and a shady nook full of violets and another grove of pine 4rees on one end and a Picky Poo wagged his tall a wooden bridge over the other "Picky, do you hear me?" steps and the pond,

up and gazing into his eyes, you said Woof, didn't you, "Now the secret is this, Picky, "It's a beautiful pond. It's the Picky?" my boy," said Knarf. He looked most beautiful pond you've over around and lowered his voice, seen. And it's where we're go- yes. For he jumped up and for he dld not want, the birds ing to go every day with the wagged his tail and barked, so pond to share the secret. that Picky then went "Woof!" quite looked out of the windows at

"I'm going to tell you a secret," Knarf told Picky Poo. . to make Picky Poo get so really pleased about anything that he barked. But he liked the country all right with the hill and the house and the stone and wooden "That's what you meant when

Picky Poo really did mean much that all the neighbours

"Shushi" they said. "Woof!" said Picky.

Rupert and the Fire Bird-36



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Rupert is surprised to, find how of earth up with the vant flock who safe he feels on his strange new are steadily soaring higher with perch, and he soon realises that the fire bird in the middle. At the bird that it carrying him is length even they are lest behind, entraordinarily fast. They rapidly and in the far distance Rupert overtake the first great bird and sees that he is being brought too Rupert tries to call a cheery great. It great calls right out from a line to Pong-Ping. Then they tumbled mans of clouds.



AUSSIES SCORE THEIR SUCCESSIVE WIN COUNTY

Derby, Aug. 14. The Australians won an exciting victory against Derbyshire here today by 57 runs. It was their third successive win against a county side - Glamorgan and Warwickshire were earlier victims - and their fourth in all against a county team. Gloucestershire had been beaten earlier.

Today the Australians declared their second innings at 183 for three, leaving Derbyshire to score 219 in as many minutes if they were to win.

Australia, 146 to 111, had led minutes to spare but were for three before declaring, by 35 on the first imings and nearly thwarted by 20-year-old Craig being unbeaten with 64. looked like finishing the match National Service man, David Then followed the collapse of quickly when they captured four Green. He arrived when the Derbyshire until Green joined Derbyshire second innings four wickets had fallen before his captain Donald Carr. This wickets for 24. But stands of 44 lunch-three to Miller - and pair put on 42 before Carr was for the fifth wicket and 72 for stayed for 168 minutes before run out but Green found another the sixth helped Derbyshire and being caught behind the wicket, good partner in George Dawkes a draw seemed possible until last man out. Rutherford, Miller and Davidson captured the last five wickets among them in 45 minutes to put the county out for 161

COUNTY CRICKET

Lancs Gain Thrilling Win

Over Northamptonshire

By Sixteen Runs

ing champions, Surrey, in the English County Cricket

have two games in hand, and an wickets tumbled rapidly as

ing games, whereas only one of runs, and Hilton two in an over,

dramatic collapse in which the to heat Middlesex, despite a fine

The Southern County, between, | with eight wickets left, but the

when Northamptonshire, requir-

ing 147 for victory, were 112 for

Home County lost their remain-

ing eight wickets for 18 runs to

the spin bowling of Malcolm

Hilton and Roy Collins, who

each claimed four victims. The

last four wickets fell at the same

ASTONISHING VICTORY

when Northampton need d 35

SPARTAKIAD

World Record

Goes In The

Steeplechase

Soviet track star Semyon

Rzhishchin broke the world

record for the 3,000 Metres

Steeplechase when he cover-

ed the distance in 8 minutes

39.8 seconds, at the Moscow

Spartakaid sports meeting

up the former world record of

Budapest on September 11.

Nina Vinogradova of Lenin-

Hurdles record for

grad cracked the Soviet 80

women when she skimmed over

the barriers in 10.7 seconds at

the Spartakiad track meet here.

Marie Golubichnaya of Moscow

and Galina Bystrova of the

Russian Republic, both in 10.8

European Champion Ardalion

Observers said Miss Vino-

gradova would probably have

proken the world 80 Metres

Hurdles record for women if

she had not been hompered by

wind and cold weather. The

record, held by Centa Gastl of

Germany, is 10.6 seconds. Miss

recently, has still to be retified

Soviet Swimmers

Set World

Relay Record

Soviet swimmers today broke

the world record for the four times 100 metres relay in the

by the IAAF,--France-Press.

record, made very

Paris, Aug. 14.

Ignatyev won the men's 400

Metres run easily in 46.5 seconds,

followed by K. Gratchev in

Vinogradova was followed by

Poland's Jerzy Chromik set

minutes 40.2 seconds, at

Moscow, Aug. 14.

Half am hour was left for play

total of 130.

today.

s**ec**onds.

47.9 seconds.

Lancashire kept alive their hopes of catching reign-

THE COLLAPSE

London, Aug. 14.

astonishing victory of the sea-

Surrey sere left enly the

formal task of getting 82 runs

the Middlesex Captain, who stay-

ed four and a quarter hours for

Despite a ten wickets defeat

from Sussex, Gloucestershire re-

tained third place, but are 28

Like Northamptonshire, Wor-

points behind the leaders,

eneds light of the task

and in 70 minutes they put on 72 runs.

Though they had fallen well Inn Craig and Peter Burge behind the clock, Derbyshire were mainly responsible for looked like saving the game but The Australians won with 12 the Australians reaching 183 Eatherford tropped Dawkes leg before and he and Miller mopped up the tail. Miller finishing with five wickets for 29 to be the auccessful Australian

> THE SCOREBOARD Australians First Innings 146 Second Innings

(overnight 80 for one) J. Rutherford, b. Hall. J. Burke, lbw b Jackson McDonald, lbw b Jackson D Craig, not out P. Burge, not out

Extras . .

Total (for 3 wks decl) 183 Wickets fell at 31, 86 and 95. Rowling

Championship when they gained a thrilling win over		Bowling			
Northamatanghira by 16 runs at Wellingborough.		O	M		
Surrey, bidding for their fifth successive champion-	Jackson	20	-	29	
ship title, bent their London neighbours. Middlesex, by	Gladwin .	. 17		40 25	
ship title, beat their London heighbours, middlesex, by seven wickets at the Oval, and with 168 points from 21	Hall Smith	10 18		46	
seven wickers at the Oval, and with too points from 21	Morgan	4	-	12	
PARTICLUSING RESIDENT TOST TOST TOST TOTAL TOST TO THE PARTICLE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY OF TH	Carr	9	2	31	

Derbyshire First Innings 111 Second Innings

added factor in their favour is batsmen tried to get the runs Lee, b Lindwall that they have three home fix- by big hitting. Collins at one Kelly, c Davidson, b tures among their seven remain- stage took four wickets for six D C Morgan, c Langley, b Lancashire's last five games is at Laucashire thus win the most L. Johnson, c Langley, b All seemed lost for Lancashire, con with five minutes to spare. Miller

D. B. Carr, run out Green, e Langley, b Davidson G O Dawkes lbw, b Rutherford E. Smith at Langley, b

82, which included too sixes and Rutherford n ne fours. Though they lost Gladwin, c Rutherford, b three wickets, the Champions Miller 1. Jackson, b Miller D. Hall not out . Extras

Wickets fell at: 2, 12, 13, 24, cestershire collapsed suddenly 68, 140, 140, 153 and 158.

against Yorkshire at Bradford Bowling and lost by ten wickets. With an hour left for play, Worcestershire had lost only four second Lindwall mnings wickets and needed 22 Miller runs to avert an innings defeat. Davidson In the next 35 minutes, their arawford hist six wickets crashed for the Wilson addition of 29 runs, due mainly Burke to offspinner Ray Illingworth .- Rutherford -Reuter

BASEBALL

Mickey Mantle Hits His 42nd Home Run In ankee-Red Sox Game

New York, Aug. 14. Yankee slugger Mickey Mantle hit his 42nd home run tonight in his pursuit of Babe Ruth's record of 60 for a season.

It came in the third inning of the Yankee-Red Sox game with a mate on base.

Wally Post banged his 22nd homer of the season into the left field bleachers in the fourth inning Tuesday at Wrigley Field to lead the Cincinnati Redlegs and Pitcher Joe Nuxhall to a 2-0 victory over the Chicago Cubs.

The triumph broke a three- Detroit at Cleveland and game losing streak for the Chicago at Kansas City. third place Redlegs, who secred their fourth straight victory and their ninth triumph in 14 games | Cincinnati

Nuxuali went all the way for his eighth victory against eight defeats, giving up five hits for Cincinnati's first shutout over the Cubs this season. It was the 11th time the Cube have been blanked however.

Temples high fly dropped safely between three Gub nelders. He advanced on Gus Bell's single, reached third on a fielder's choice on Ted Klaszowski and scored on Gerry Kindall's error.

HIS SIXTH DEFEAT The Redicks collected six hits Moscow Spartakaide sports com- off plicher Don Kaiser, wife petition, Tass news agency re- suffered his sixth destat menine, these victority.

Cincinnati's second run came HR-Lopain (25th). United in the eighth after Johnny Press. Roistar Not Running In

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Numbrall (8-8) and Burgess.

Friend (13-12) and Folles.

(First Game)

Kaiser (3-6) and Landrith.

Pittsburgh

Philadelphia

R. H. E.

Doncaster

luin, Vladimir Minashkin, VladiIndin, Vladimir Minashkin, VladiIndin, Struzhanov and Lee BalanIndin, chalked up a time of fluir

with at Philadelphia for at 15.55 GMT yealer
tender the Philadelphia for at 15.55 GMT yealerminutes, 14.8 seconds. The said.

The former record wist fitts the other Mational Leaster Record Wist fitts of the American Epson Derby, was quoted at the Japanese swimmers. France: Leaster Washington at Baltimore, callover. Reuter York, Washington at Baltimore, callover. Reuter.



HKBA'S ANNUAL REPORT

Not As Eventful A Year, But History Has Again Been Made

The 1955-56 badminton season was not as eventful as the one that preceded it, but history has again been made in that the HKBA entered the Ladies' International Badminton Championships, the Uber Cup, states the Annual Report of the Hongkong Badminton Association for the year ending June 30, 1956.

During the year, the Association has not only improved internal matters such as the revision of the Rules and Regulations and the revival of the Official Handbook, but also made elaborate preparations for the first round Uber Cup Match with Malaya, apart from arranging exhibition games for two foreign visiting teams, 'the Malayan Indian Team and the Thailand Unity Badminton Party.

clubs in December, 1955. The don. Badminton Thailand Unity Cricket Club. The opportunity for as many of our young players as possible and although we only won two mixed doubles matches, the players gained invaluable knowledge as some of the visitors were of international standard.

The Uber Cup: The first Lodies' International Badminton

Visiting Teams: The Malayan | Championship was inaugurated Indian Team, guests of the Nav. on 4th July, 1956, when Mrs | teams. Bharat Club, Hongkong, played H. S. Uber presented the Uber a series of exhibition games Cup to the International with leading local badminton Badminton Federation in Lon-

the first round. This will be a the Men's "C" Doubles Division was taken to provide experience most memorable affair to Hong- to St. Stephens in a most thrilkong, as it will be the very first match of the Uber Cup Competition. Hongkong has choice of courts and, as agreed with Malaya, the match will be played off on the 30th August, 1956, in Hongkong.

> In preparation for this big motch, the Association has formed various sub-committees which, in turn, have wasted no time to make the necessary arrangements.

would have gone through three the Open Championships. and a half months' training. To them, the Association wish "The very best of luck."

Affiliation: The popularity of badminton in Hongkong is in the upward trend as evidenced in the number of clubs affiliated to the Association which is 23 as compared to 18 in the previous season. The Association continues to be affiliated to the International Badminton Federation and the Hongkong Mrs Kwok Chan for having Amateur Sports Federation.

1955/56 Badminton League: A record number of 41 teams competed in the various leagues and the Association is indeed happy to note that this the last two seasons when the number was only 20 and 32. The team as it stands, is The number of teams entered strong in bowling and fielding, for the different divisions was as always had the welfare of the but weak in builting. This, it follows:

> Men's "A" Division 4 teams. Men's "B" Division 4 teams. Men's "C" Division 4 teams. Men's "C" Doubles Division

Division Senior

DIRECTOR

Modern Racing Car

Needs Better Body

And Chassis

chassis, not a bigger engine, declared Enzo Ferrari.

founder and Director of the Italian motor-car company,

The modern racing car needs a better body and

Craigengower Cricket Club deserves to be commutulated in Hongkong has entered in the almost making a clean sweep Yong-Lin, gave three nights' Astatic Zone and has been of the various Longue Chamexhibition in the Cralgengower drawn to play against Malaya in plouships. They only lost in

> The 1955/56 Colony Open Championships: A total of 99 entries as compared to the previous season's 94, was received for the Colony School Boys and School Girls Championships, However, there was sharp decrease in entries in the Colony Open Championships.

Ladies' Doubles Division &

With the Senior Events. there was a total of 33 entries showing an increase of 2 over last year's, but in the Junior Ten in les were nominated by events, the figure was only 35 the Association to undergo as compared to 57 in the preserious training and the team vious season. The decrease was was announced in July. By the mainly due to the overlapping time of the Match, our ladies of School Championships with

> The highlight of the Champlouships was the entry of two Thailand Thomas Cuppers. They entered in the Singles and the Doubles. They lost their Singles but won the Doubles Championship.

The Finals of the Colony Open Championships were played off at Craigengower Cricket Club on 28th March, 1956, and the Association is grateful to kindly distributed the various

In passing, it can be said that the Association has enjoyed another successful year but it must be emphasised that this would not have been possible without the generous and staunch support of the affiliated clubs and of those who have Association deep in their hearts. As usual, the Press have rendered the Association invaluable help. To them, the Association would say "Many many thanks."

Association can be regarded as satisfactory as shown in the Statement of Accounts.

The financial situation of the

PRIZE WINNERS

Prize Winners of the Colony Open and Colony School Boys and School Girls Championships and the Colony League arelisted.

BRADMAN IS HERO, TO THESE OVAL BOYS

Jim Laker may be the name of the cricketing hero on most English schoolboys lies but around the Oval at Kennington, Jim Laker's own "home" ground. abother great cricketer is named with owe. One day in 1953 Australia's Sir Donald Bradman was driving his car past the Christ Church United Clubs hastel opposite the Jack Hobbs gates at the Oval. He almost collided with two boys chasing a ball that had been played from the tiny strip of grass beside the hostel. The boys were only 10 and Bradman had put away Argentine's world racing driv-, his but five years before, so none of them recognised. Auswhen he got out of his car to I talk to them. Thought Bredman: "If these kids are so keep on cricket that they will risk their using them still today.

SOUTH AFRICAN TOUR

Six Bowlers And Two All-Rounders Among 13 Picked By MCC

close-in fielders that rarely miss

can be expected, will shortly be

strengthened by the addition of

FERRARI

-France-Presse.

The MCC announced tonight that the following 13 players have been selected to tour South Africa this winter.

P. May (Surrey) — Captain, D. Insole (Essex) — Vice-Captain, T. Bailey (Essex), C. Cowdrey (Kent), T. Evans (Kent), J. Laker (Surrey), P. Loader (Surrey), T. Lock (Surrey), A. Oakman (Sussex), P. Richardson (Worcestershire), B. Statham (Lancashire), T. Tyson (Northamptonshire), J. Wardle (Yorkshire).

Three more names are to be hardly be expected to stand the May has a quartet of brilliant announced before the end of the rigours of a strenuous tour.

rounders, Oakman has almost man. Of a more rugged and field. certainly been chosen essentially aggressive nature, it is to him as a batsman: It means however that will fall in all probability that of the three remaining the task of the maintenance of places, two are almost certain to discipline and order on the prebe filled by batsmen, while the sent tour. third must go to a reserve wicketkeeper Godfrey Evans. brook was not considered for a

The 13 names revealed today indicate clearly however that it is the full might of England that will meet South Africa in the impending series. May, Cowdrey, and Richardson are probably the three finest batsmen in the country, with the one notable exception of Denis Compton.

STRENUOUS TOUR

The latter has still not fully recovered from his knee operation and, although now again playing in county cricket, can

TODAY

Ladies Open Singles: Matches at HKCC, KCC, KBGC, USRC, KDC. Services Golf: Monthly Stableford semi-finals: HQLF "B" v RAMC; 74 LAA Rgt RA v HQ RHKDF.

Swimming 74 LAA Regiment swimming gala Victoria Pool, 2 p.m. Water-pole Senior League: South China v Hol Tin (South China) 6 p.m.

TOMORROW

Children's Golf, at Deep Water Bay, Shanghat Foursome Moeting HKFA Interport Sub-Committee meeting at Sports Road, 5.45 p.m. Open Singles: Quarter-finals KEGC and KCC. Water-polo Knock-out: First Round, RAF Navy (Victoria Pool), 4.15 p.m. FRIDAY

Moeting HICFA Management Committee meeting at Sports Road, 5.45 p.m. Water-polo Enock-out: First Round, Army Hol Tin (Victoria Pool) 5.30 p.m.

Besides the three batsman the slightest chance; And not Of the 13 so far chosen, there mentioned above, Doug Insole is one member of the party will are six bowlers. Of the two all- the only other recognised bats- have to be conceded in the figure greatly exceeds those

two more batsmen. That with Oakman and Bailey are both The MCC also amounced that at excellent all-nounders, whose a reserve wicketkeeper will his own request, Cyril Wash- batting prowess is sufficiently bring the party up to full well proven to gain them a strongest touring side to have place in the team as batsmen. left this country since the war. Trevor Bailey, indeed, has scarcely ever been out of England's team, except through injury, in the last four or five years, and played an instrumental part in the recovery of the Ashes in 1953.

> Evans as wicketkeeper is without a peer in the world, and at the age of 36 remains as sprightly and dangerous behind the stumps as ever.

The bowling department is already represented in its entirety, and on it will probably depend the outcome whole deries. With Tyson, Statham, Lock and Laker, if all fit, at his command, May podsesses what must be one of the strongest attacks of any England team.

While Loader (1831) and Wardle are excellent reserves. Bailey will also be at hand to assist the pace men. Oakman with his great height—he stands well over six feet—brings the slower bell through with great viciousness on wickets that give 3,500 cubic centimetres. him the slightest assistance.

WELL EQUIPPED

England will be expected to rely. Should the season however prove wet and rainy, May think a three litre engine is the is well equipped, with record best answer to the demands of breakers Laker and Lock to modern technology. We have conditions.

Africa will notice the greatest ties". improvement. Of the 18 names so far announced, only four, Bailey, Evans, Laker Wardle are over 30. With Lock, from 100 to 110 brake horse. Insole, Oukman and Loader, power per litre capacity.

which won this year's world championships for sports car builders, after last Sunday's Swedish Grand Prix race. In an interview with Agence.

maximum capacity (swept coachwork, orakes and tyres" volume) of between 3,000 and he edded. "There is no point in fitting a

more powerful engine to a racing car. What is needed is a It is essentially on page that more complete car". The Director continued: "I

size gives a car greater stability It is in the field that South and better road holding quali-

> He then said that modern and racing car engines were giving

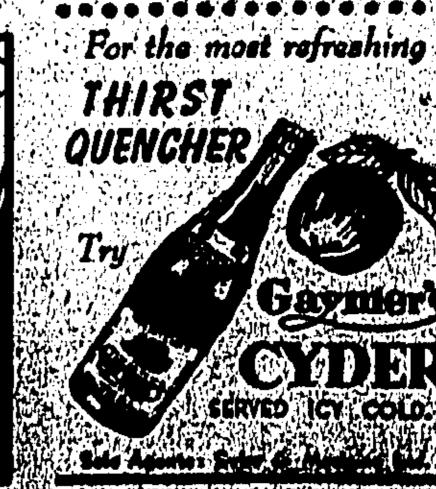
"We must therefore make the France-Presse. Ferrari said the driver's job more easy by perideal engine should have a feeting the chassis, suspension, The Director revealed that

Modena, Aug. 14.

his company was building a new four cyclinder 11/2 litre model and incorporating portant modifications in their 3,500 c.c. sports model.

NOT COMPETING

ing champion, Juan Manuel take full advantage of the noticed that the perfect power Fanglo, has withdrawn from the tralia's greatest modern betsman weight ratio of an engine this Pescara Grand Prix auto race, scheduled for this Sunday, it was announced here today. Fanglo, who has been driving for the Italian Ferrari stable this lives in this traffic to get the season was to have competed in ball, they discree to have some the Pescara Grand Prix ir a practice afets." Two weeks later German 1,500 c.c. Occa.--France- they received Athem and rare



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PROFESSIONAL

Too Few Players Get Among The Prize Money Says Dai Rees

By ARCHIE QUICK

At a time when more and more tournaments are being introduced into the professional golfing calendar, that broth of a boy from Dublin, hefty Harry Bradshaw. laments that there are too many,

When he came over from Eire to Richmond, Surrey, for the first ever Amateurs versus Professionals match on level terms, he told me he had lost the savour to play, and was tired of the constant fray. "I would be much happier playing in only a few tournaments each summer," he said, "and treat them as re-unions with my brother professionals."

funity to earn more cash.

Today our professionals are defence. naked to play only 24 rounds to qualify for the Harry Vardon [schedule is 60 rounds

as I see it is that there are too. ments and not enough match "retirement" pay from the FAplay. A few more of these and then perhaps there would not be l a repetition of the recent. Open Championship humiliation | Over-*eas players then took some £ 2.800 of the total £ 3,500 prize. money while South African and [Australian players left the home by Stan Rickaby, ex-West other tournamints.

Where are the young men? Charlie Ward, 44 years old, came out of retirement to win the that "total disablement" pro-Close Championship l which was almost a complete compensation Phillips was quite play their greatest rivals Lancatriumph for the over-40 brigade. too many tournaments surely, Harry Bradshaw"

JOVIAL IRISHMEN If this jovial Irishman is to disappear from the tournament scene it will be poorer for his If his ball had not gone into the neck of a broken bottle to cost him a stroke he would have won the Open Championship at Sandwich five years ago. He has been "Master" golfer of the year and he has made the Ryder Cup team. Above all, win minimum of time to address his shots and get round the courses.

him at Richmond about Brad- lained, transfer-listed or offered chaw's opinion, said: "Although learns by Portsmouth. In effect, I cannot personally complain, he was on a free transfer and the big weakness in British pro- | took advantage of the opporfessional golf. I think, is that too | tunity. few players get among the prizemoney. It is the same names | A cricket record of which the every time at the top of the alms a miallible "Wisden's" conlists. Others get disheartened tains no entry, came to light and cannot afford to make up lately the field. That was shown the poor entry of 83 in the Oval in the Surrey-Essex match | not many can spare the time the scoreboard Peter, in his very from their club members."

suffered a double blow last week. with his fourth. Perhaps the bigger was the announcement by his father that 17-year-old Pat Neil had signed amateur forms for Wolverhampton Wanderers. This is the boy, and made a frantic appeal. This still at Portsmouth Grammar School, whom Pompey manager. | Skelding shook his head. Mr Eddie Lever, lifted from his third team to his first and who A diligent search of "Wisden's" thereupon gained Amateur showed no such equal feat and we Olympic | and International

"caps" at such a tender age. Neil still has a year at Grammar School. Then there will be Horace Fisher had done the National Service and a University, so he cannot take Jimmy and he has no intention of turn- happened. ing professional. He left Portsmouth, he says, because the crowd booed him, but Mr Lever

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2 Of the peace?

I am afraid Harry's is a lone, national Len Phillips for Poole get a knock." In fact, 16 balls voice crying in the wilderness, Town. Phillips was injured in still perhaps, have the oppor- mouth £15,000 through their As Insurance company. This was club conches very few of them on the grounds of "total dishave to pick up such a fixed ablement" and was poor reward Bradshaw does at Portmarnock player and a bastion of their

RETIREMENT PAY The club, in turn, paid Phil-Trophy whereas in America the lips £4,000 which was more than he could have earned in The professional golf trouble four seasons' play. He also got something from the Players' Union Benevolent Fund, and his a nice little nest-egg for the talented, if stormy, Londoner. whom Pompey discovered as a wartime footballing Marine.

> Now, out of the blue, Phillips full-back, and the club with whom Wilf Mannion was recently connected. And, despite payers' if we pull it off." nouncement and the £4,000 odd Championship is that Surrey within his legal rights, I am shire only once-and that at the assured, although Portsmouth Oval! and the FA take a pacity poor view of it. It has, indeed, happened before.

Mr Lever came to Town to see the FA and get a ruling on the two Neil and Phillips points, but, although he got every sympathy, he got no satisfaction. The FA out that, despite the ethics of each case, nothing illegal—had taken place. Neil, as an amatour. can naturally play for whom he or lose, he has always been his likes although all his loyalties own breezy self, taking the should be with Portsmouth; there is nothing to stop Poole taking a chance with Phillips, Dar Rees, when I spoke to who, naturally, was not re-

In | It happened this way. At the confirmed. few overs, had Gordon Barker Portsmouth Football Club has Ken Barrington the same way

> Every fieldsman gathered | round the amateur Williams for the next ball. Sure enough, Press. Loader rapped him on his pads time, however, umpire Alec i

Would it have been a record? had just agreed it was a unique achievement in first-class cricket when someone remembered that same thing for Yorkshire against

THEIR FIRST RUN

While all this was happening has been his mentor and coach the other Essex bataman, from his footballing cradle. No Tommy Dodds, stood helpless at the annual swim sponsored by wonder he says he is "stunned". the other end. He said to me Canadian-born showman and The other Pompey surprise afterwards: "I was beginning to hollday camp "king," Mr Billy has been the signing of Inter- wonder whether I should ever Butlin .- Reuter.

in the spaces against

each of the clues below

with a word related to my life. The letters in circles spell out my name, Who am 1?

for all the other paid exponents training with the England team, were delivered by Loader and want more and more tourna- and when, finally, the doctors Alec Bedser before Essex scored ments so that they can improve said he would never play again their first run and when Loader their chances of Ryder Cup re- the Football Association, as was got Williams soon after he had cognition, and, more important their responsibility, paid Ports- taken three wickets in 14 balls

Talking of Dodds, he has refused, on religious principles, to allow matches to be played on salary and additional "perks" " for Portsmouth for a £25,000 Sundays on his behalf in this, his benefit season. Sunday games are a big source of income to beneficiarles, and one must admire Dodd's moral courage spurning what would have amounted to hundreds of pounds.

Skipper Stuart Surridge who does so much for the Oval club with bat, ball and in the field. is convinced he is going to lead Surrey to their lifth successive Championship — an ali-time record. "The handlenp of losing Peter May, Tony Lock and Jim Laker for eleven county matches has been tremendous," he said. has signed for Poole Town, the "but we have overcome it, and Southern League club managed I cannot pay too high a tribute to the Second Eleven players men trailing in several of the Bromwich Albion and England who have stepped into the vacant places. The triumph will be as much theirs as the senior

One anomaly of this year's

British Sports Car Breaks Two Records

Bonneville, Salt Flats, Utah, Aug 14. Austin-Healey sports car driven by Roy Jackson-Moore of Los Angeles today broke two 16-year-old

records for a 200-mile and 500kilometer course. The International Class D sports car records, subject to Le Feuvre, RE. customary FIA confirmation.

are 152.51 miles an hour for I C.D. Eirick, MBE, the 200-mile and 152.32 mph for the 500 kilometre course. These records will also stand ns American Class Records when

The previous records—150.12 Close Championship. Of course, fast bowler Peter Loader came for the 200-mile and 145.96 for their only remedy is to make within a touch of an "lbw hat the 500 kilometre courses-were good by constant practice. Yet trick", Without an Essex run on set here in 1940 by George Barringer driving a Miller Special. An Austin-Healey team, led lbw with his third delivery and by Captain George Eyeston, plans more record runs here in

> the next few weeks. The runs are made on a 10mile circular course.—United

22 Competitors Take Off For Channel Swim

Folkstone, England, Aug. 14. Twenty-two international long distance swimmers sailed from | Somerset at Sheffleld 24 years | here tonight for Cap Gris Nez Mullen's place on Wolves' left- ago. And a quick look at old where they are due to enter the wing for some time to come yet | score records proved that it HAD | water in the early hours of tomorrow morning for this year's marathon France-England crosschannel swim.

The swimmers representing 12 countries, are taking part in





Into the Spot of Honour at the Top of the Sports Parade this week there steps a group of six young stalwarts from District Workshops REME.

To prove their worthiness they have brought along the shield presented to them on Monday evening by Brigadier F. C. C. Graham, D.S.O., in recognition of their grand performance in beating 'G' Branch in the final of the Headquarters, Land Forces 6-a-side Hockey Knockout Competition by 4 goals to 2.

Congratulations then to Messra | he headed the bowling averages Grant, Whyte, Mullins, Bridle, for the team, Tutt and Lodge who were the Also leaving is the well known

Workshops colours. A word of praise too for RE. Ordonnee Branch who surprised As well as being an friend and foe alike by their fine | thusiastic and successful player 3-2 victory over G (Int) to win | Captain | Kennedy also carried the plate competition in the other | out the duties of | Secretary of game on Monday's hockey pro-

During the Annual General present healthy state. Meeting of the Army (HK) Football Association the Chair- | Column to the Catleys and the man. Lt Coi O D A. Le Kennedy it is "Bon Voyage... Feuvre, RE, once again stressed and may you find pleasant the importance to Army sport | sport wherever you go." and prestige of a strong and successful Army representative team in the Colony.

to the full with the committee work going on behind the responsible for building and scenes is to be taken as an inrunning the team and to make | dication of what lies ahead pelected players available when then the forthcoming season they were required.

The meeting was held at the any that has gone before. NAAFI Club, Chatham Road With this target very much in last Thursday and attracted a mind Army rugby folks get large number of unit represer- together at Chatham Road tatives

sion regarding the possibilities Brigadier J. C. C. Waldron, of admitting the stronger 'Minor' DSO, OBE, will have a heavy units to the 'Major' units competition it was decided by the meeting finishes. meeting that in view of the the arrangements for last year should be repeated.

SUGGESTIONS

The meeting heard many sugheavy programme of competi- the FARELF Tournament; 17-year-old daughter of a throughout the months when the order four teams; Colony Hex- auditioned for de Sica along cafe were especially constructed game is played. This item pro- angular Competition in which with some 500 other hopefuls to Hemingway's own specificubased on previous experience 7-a-side Competition. was agreed upon.

Chairman: Lt. Col. O.D.A.

Hon Secretary Capt. H. Leader, MBE., RAPC. ative teams.: Major R. Webb, vities in the very near future. RAMC.

Hon Secretary AFA Referees; WOII Gordon, RE.

It was decided by the committee that a programme of 5 trial matches would be staged in order to see and select potential players for the Army representative teams. This is very much in line with the arrangements last year and units should endeavour to make their nominated players avail- success both from the standard (Dreams in a Drawer) which able for the trial which is being of riding and the sound orstaged nearest their own ganisation behind the scenes.

location. Wai on Tuesday, August 21 and will be followed by Trial 'B' that are so much a part of at Sek Kong on Thursday, 23rd; these events. It is a tribute to Trial 'C' of Gun Club Barracks | man and machine that a very on Friday, 24th; Trial 'D' at high percentage of the 72 riders | Mario Mattoli who wound up Sookunpoo on Sunday 26th; and who took part finished the "Le Diciotteni" (The 18-Yearfinally Trial 'E' at San Wai on Tuesday 28th

The kick-off on all these uccasions will be at 3 o'clock although provision has been Hongkong Signal made for an earlier start Trial 'D' at Sookunpoo if the number of players nominated

As in previous years no player who feels he is up to the standard required in first class Colony sootball will be resused an opportunity to show his paces. All trialists are required to provide themselves with shorts. stockings and boots and they should arrive at the appropriate ground at least 30 minutes before the time set for the kick-

At the conclusion of the preliminary trials 24 players will be heavy list of entries. The the experienced eye of Major Winning Divisional Artillery team it is expected that during the training period one or two games will be arranged against local civilian sides. training for two weeks under

of military families will be leaving the Colony on the troop-ship Empire Orwell at the week-end their departure will a

golfer Captain David Kennedy,

acored first. the Army (HK) Golf Society for a time and did a lot to help the Society towards From the Tommy Atkins

In recent years the Army has enjoyed considerable success in He asked units to co-operate Colony rugby and if the active promises to be as satisfying as

Camp at 3 o'clock on Friday, After a great deal of discus- August 24 when the Chairman, agendo to cover before the

incoming season: -The FARELF Inter-Unit Knock-out tournagestions on how the season's climinated in the first round of sion and an equitable solution pate; and the Blarney Stone ad.

Secretary and the Referce interesting and original methods | getting Spencer Tracy for the Hon Secretary AFA: Major of getting rugby folks together lead and feeling that no other to talk about, and improve their knowledge of, the game. I hope to have more news about this Manager Army Represent- feature of the pre-season acti-

Congratulations to 173 Locating Battery, Royal Artillery on the excellent sports day held last Friday. It was an imaginative programme and provided class entertainment for spectators and competitors alike. MOTOR CYCLE TRIAL Once again the 48 Gurkha In-

Inntry Brigade Motor Cyclo

Competitors were set Trial 'A' will be held at San gruelling course with a judicious tribulations of Italy's post-war selection of the sort of hazards

A competent trio from Hussars won the 48 Brigade team trophy while once again Regiment collected another premier award by winning the Open levent. This strong trio comwarrants several games being prising WOII Bowden, Sgis Sankey and 'Doug' Steame looked good enough in action to suggest that they may well add many more trophies to the Signals' sideboard before the

Trial season is over. A special word of praise to L/Cpl Purhabahadur Rai who was winner of the award for the best Gurkha entrant. The Divisional Artillery Trial

will take place on Friday. Sept. -7 and on past reputation alone it should attract a very organisers have decided on five These will go to the DEPARTURES

Although only a small number Matchless 350 cc machine; and finally to the best National Service rider in the event.

Entries for this Trial close next Monday that is August 20,

week-end their departure will ext Monday that is August 20 be felt in local civil and military sporting circles. Among those team and \$5 for each individual getting ready to say goodbyo to Hongkong will be Major A. J. Intending competitors should (Fred) Catley RAMC who has forward their cutries together played many fine games of crickles for the Royal Army Medical as soon as possible.

Corps:

He has also been a stalwart in formation should the relevant fee to HQRA with the relevant fee to HQRA with the relevant fee to have further included the RCC sides during the peace to the third event hear to the two seasons. Last season being listed.

ments of the post-war years. This accent

them currently are

BACK IN STRIDE

Neo-realism is back in stride

actor could comprehend the role as could the American. Germi took the part himself. His premise was that he was the only one person who knew what the human conflict in the story picture is termed the most interesting picture of the year. lani, best recognised for his spectacular international "Romeo and Juliet" and the carlier "Due soldi di speranza" (Two Pennies of Hope). has emerged with a project en-Trial proved to be a great titled "I sogni nel cassetto" will be populated by professionals. This one deals with the dreams, trials and university youths.

who has just completed The City Streets), as its title Mastrocinque has completed "Porta un bacione a Firenze" the shadows of the domes of Florence. All have been using "artists from the streets."

ROME IS DOING PENANCE FOR ITS MOVIE "SINS"

HOLLYWOOD'S GREAT RIVAL

By HENRY GRIS

Hollywood.

Hollywood's great rival, Rome, is doing penance for its movie "sins." To understand what's taking place one has to glance back to the early post-war years when, free of Fascist regimentation, Italians tackled movie-making with vengeance. Rome was out to regain the cinematographic prestige it had lost in the early 1930's following some spectacular trail-blazing in the silent film days.

This phase brought inter- movie, "The Old Man and The arrival with a grin, a poke-innational fame to a handful of Sea." Italian directors headed by The origins of this Cuban | He patted the kids heads and Roberto Rossellini and Vittorio adventuro go back to some time played any request character-

The second phase involved Hayward, upon reading an proudly snapped their picture. Italian actresses rising to inter- Ernest Hemingway manuscript, Gina Lollobrigida and Silvana of translating it into film. Mangano, to name those who

shook their heads at this display enlisted of practical showmanship and Hemingway for the task of thrashing of his life, said Rome had gone Hollywood; actually catching that its placing of pulchritude 1,500-pound marlin in the story, howled with above the theatre in typical The job of writing the difficult howled again Hollywood tradition was turn- screenplay was handed to Peter | wrought havoe with a square ing to naught the accomplish- Viertel. a noted Hollywood dance on the patio near the | Promediate | writer |

female stars certainly did the time since then for all con- inducted Lewis into his tribe Italian films no harm at the cerned to get ready for the and the flashbulbs popped again, box office, but apparently the shooting stage. protests of the art-minded resulted in the Italian directors been shuttling between Holly- still knocking himself out to Letting a guilt complex. As wood, Havana and Talara, keep the audience amused. The a result, the more worthy among Peru, for the post six months guests were members of the penance with typical Italian came up with a tight 84-page lelevison corps

as it has not been since the as much time to solve and when 1940's. De Sica, who can be as they were licked a Hollywood According to the latest avail- naughty as the most risque studio had enriched its moviemany difficulties and implicat able information the following French novelist, and as start making equipment with a twotions involved in such a project rugby football competitions will conscious as a Hollywood mogul, ton diving bell, 12 fest long and be run in the Colony during the is again playing Pygmalion to three feet in diameter, a sound non-professionals cast in his transmitter the size of a pack of latest, "Il Tetto" (The Roof) cigarettes and a microphone ment; Plate Knock-out for teams His heroine had to be a plain as small as a dime, among a lot girl and she is just that, the of other unusual paraphernalia and their relationship had not tions could best be run in order Colony Preliminary Competi- Roman waiter. She acted for The old man's shack, the to provide a balanced schedule tion in which the Army will the first time when she boy's shack and a fisherman's vided some interesting discus- two Army teams will partici- who answered his newspaper tions. The harbour of Cojimar micre" that night in Newhall of

The following officials were is understood that Major J. offerings, rivals Pietro Germi's Zinnemann sat down to the task nominated for the incoming Ledsham, RA., who is the Army directorial entry, just completed, of training the villagers for "Il Ferroviere" (The Rail- their parts in the movie as ex-Representative, is planning some | mader). After despairing of tras was all about. Already Germi's of the boy, the movie has a kicked off the national publicity. Then there's Renato Castel-

> Others are Antonio Petrucci Cortile' (The Backyard) and Olds). Luigi Glachi is shooting 'Per le vie della citta" (Through indicates, in the streets and elleys of Milan, while Camillo (Bring a Kiss to Florence), in

Off the picturesque little harbour of Colimar in Cuba hungry old Cuban Asherman is sailing his skiff across the l endless wastes of water.

became known as neo-realism, man in the pair of patched-up Hollywood star. City," "Paisan," "The Bicycle recorded on film by an accom- to keep his guests amused,

Connoisseurs of the arts Zinnemann as director, Hayward Mickey Finn, លអ the

startling | two years ago. It took all of | Indian, rich old Chief Youlachie.

doing looking for locations. Viertel job after a year of writing and received an invitation signed. rewriting and doing his own | "Dean and Jerry." shuttling.

The technical problems took l never seen before.

was "deglamorised" to mict the "Il Tetto," as documentary movie's requirements and after read about a new split. In addition to this meeting it in style as the early Italian all this was accomplished,

BRIEF SEQUENCE

With the exception of a brief party got going. sequence at the beginning and studio publicity men gayly disanother at the end showing tributed press releases for the other fishermen and a group of next morning which read. tourists, and the few glimpses | "Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis single performer facing a campaign on their latest picture gigantic task of sustaining by playing hosts to more than interest — Spencer 250 guests, ... audience

focussed on a lonely figure in a day of the team which had lonely boat, the view from the generously handed out laughter Old Man's skiff opens to a hugo to the American public for 10 floating studio and a flotilla of years. It was in the summer vessels manned by seagoing of 1946 that Dino Crocetti, 29, movie-makers. And behind and Joseph Levitch, 20, unthem lie the boats of sightseers [successful separately, got towho have come a long way to gether in an Atlentic City night see a Spencer Tracy movie club and started the act that

A typical Hollywood dude process of dissolution, Ironicalranch—guest rooms with all ly, the party at which it came modern conveniences, swimming to an end was to launch their pool, two well-stocked bars, 320 lutest picture, "Pardners."acres of land and four horses- | United Press.

It won it back within an | The leathery, sun-dried and was the setting on a recent amazingly short time with what weather-beaten face of the old Sunday for a party given by a

represented by such interesting dungarees belongs to none other | The host, wearing a maroonspecimens of down-to-earth than movie star Spencer Tracy, coloured western outfit-guns, cinema triumphs as "Open and everything he does is holsters and all-worked hard panying camera boat for a Jerry Lewis greeted each

> the-rib and a joke. In 1952 when producer Leland alongside a child as dad or mom

national fame—Anna Magnani, grew fascinated with the idea | Later, Lewis took part in a western show, slinging his gun with the nonchalance of a Roy After securing the services of Rogers and then putting on a as star and Fred mock light with towering enthusiastic greatest fall guy, who got the

The audience, big and small swimming pool. Thus the stage was set a full movies' great Cadillac-driving Four hours and a half-dozen For instance, Zinnemann has other events later Lewis was Hollywood

BEHIND THE SCENES

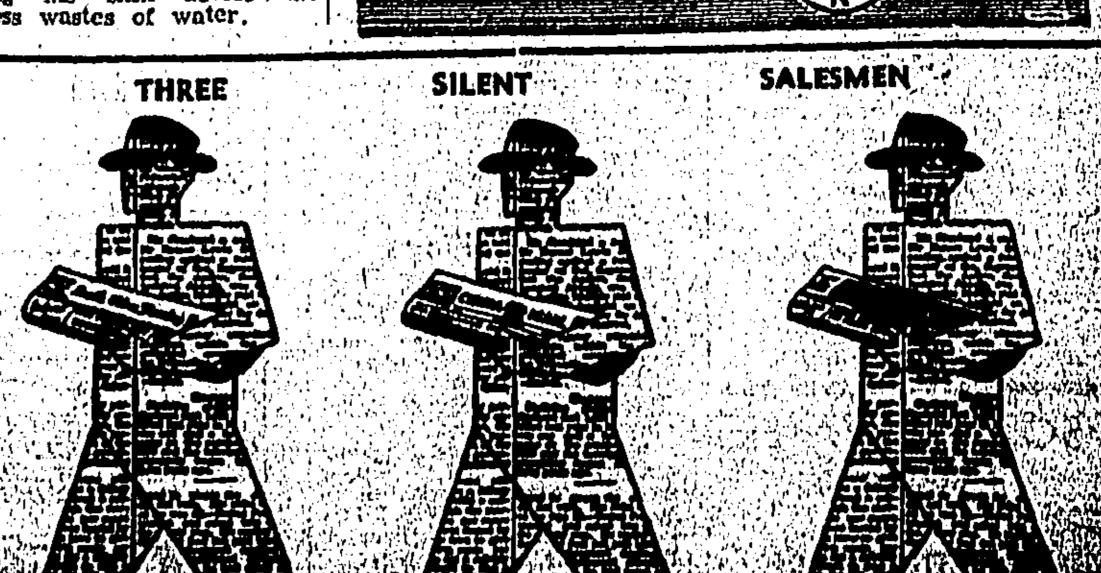
"We would love the pleasure of your company at a Western Hoe-down at the Circle J Ranch in Newhall. Take your spouse and little "Buckaroos"....

But Dean Martin had not shown up to greet the buckgroos. The two had feuded through the preceding summer improved with their working in two pictures in succession. It was not until the following Monday that the guests at the dude ranch and the "world prethe latest Martin-Lewis picture

Behind the scenes, the day was marked by a studio approval to let the stars go their separate ways. Handed down from a production boss' inder: sanctum, it was still a strictly deconfidential matter

By a strange coincidence, it Yet, while the camera is was the anniversary, almost to a made them rich and famous. That partnership is now in the

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REDS IN ICELAND'S NEW CABINET

Complications At Home And In Foreign Relations

Reykjavik, Aug. 14. The admission of two Communists to

No Complaints

About one third of Iceland's

total trade now is with the

Soviet Union and the Soviet

blee. No complaints of any im-

portance have been made against

Soviet prices or against the

quality of the goods she sup-

plies but the Icelanders cannot

obtain from the Soviet bloc

vehicles. Icelandic women, who

pride themselves on their ele-

beauty products.

gance nowadays, want Western

Both men and women here

like reading British and Ameri-

cun books and newspapers. Few

can road Russian and still fewer

To buy Anglo-American goods

the ledlanders need foreign cur-

rency. They are short of it be-

cause their exports tend to fall

below their imports. The gap

has been filled by so-called "in-

visible exports." The greatest of

these, as a recent Bank of Fin-

land report showed, is the "ex-

port" of services to the Ameri-

in Keflavik -Chima Mail

MIDNIGHT -- AT THE MOAT GATE

FOLLOW ME PLEASE,

FERD'NAND

YOUR HIGHNESS.

MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN

want to read the language.

They profer American

Trade questions are

Cabinet the new six-man Government has started controversy at Iceland's complicating and relations with her fellow-members of the North Atlantic Organisation, Treaty particularly because of the future of the American-manned defence base here.

Norwegian and Danish news-reented" by these two parties as

papers have pointed out in "respectable" enough for partsharp terms that lecland is the nership with them in the manfirst Atlantic Treaty power to agement of national affairs. have Communists in the Government, Will their presence there, i the Scandinavian papers ask. lend Icoland to insist on her splitting the Government. demand that the American trade post is held by a Comforces should be withdrawn munist pledged to increase exfrom the big base at Keflavik? changes with the Soviet bloc. Or will the Icelandic Parlinment react against the Communists and bring about downfall of the Government?

talniy perplexed. 43 Fer Cent

The new Government is cer-

It has pledged liself to press for the complete or partial enough goods of the right type. withdrawnl of the Americans from Keflavik, although 43 per British cars to Russian or Czech it was met. cent of the lectandic electorate voted against this policy in the June elections, Forty-three per cent was the share won by the Independence Party of the total votes cast in the June elections. The Independence Party, the lorgest in Parliament, is against any American withdrawal until the danger of Soviet aggression

The Progressives, the second party in Parliament, first urged = a complete American withdrawal but then said that they would be willing for the base to be manned by Icelandic and American technicians so that It could be occupied by airmen and soldiers immediately in the event of an emergency. A harder policy is followed by

has been proved to have de-

creased

the Social Democrats, who tie For the BOUTH CHINA | with the Peoples' Alliance merger of Communists and Left-CHINA MAIL, 48 hours | Wing Socialists) for third place in Parliament, The Democrats insist on a complete Announcements American withdrawal although and Classified Advertise. they are not apposed to bare being retained by

unders and held in readiness. Despite their objection to the presence of Amirican forces on Icelandic territory, both the Social Democrats and the Progressives advocate Iceland's continued membership of the Treaty Organisation. They not want her to go neutral,

Loosely-Knit

Outright neutrality is, on the other hand, urged by Peoples' who have Alhance campaigning against the Treaty Organisation as energetically as Communist parties in other countries.

Continued or abandoned membership is, thus, already splitting the loosely-knit Coulition. This split is aggravated by splits within the parties them-

The Progressive Party has a left-wing half led by Mr Jonasson. Hermann Minister in the new Government. The right-wing is led by Mr Eystelan Jousson, Finance Minister, who held the same position in the Independence-Progressive Coulition Government which ruled Iceland before the June elections. The rightwing represents Iceland's farmers, whereas the left-wing is supported by farmers who are leaving the country and settling in the towns where, experience shows, they tend to grow

As there is a politral clash between town dwellers, claiming that farm produce is too expensive, and country dwellers, claiming that townspeople should pay more for home grown food, the Progressive Party has develeped a constitutional weakness. One reason why it is cooperating with the Sociel Demoornis is to check the drift of some of the left-wing members

into left-wingers.

the Social Democratic

The Social Democratic Purty has also had its rebel wing. It which broke away three years ago and merged with the Communists in

the Proplet Allimee. The remaining body of Social Democratic members pledged the party to a firm fight against the Communists and undertook never to co-operate with them. The decision of the Social De-mocrate to sit with the Peoples' Amarica in the new Cabinet is, therefore regarded as a breach of an election promise given by the Social Democratic leader.

It all these tensions the Repples Alliance has the advantage. It has been picking up deserters from the Social Democratic and creat and Progressive parties and

expected to a stract more of



King Idris of Lybis, who recently paid an official visit to Turkey, is pictured being greeted on his arrival by Turkey's President Celal Bayar. The visit is expected to strengthen will further the ties existing between the two countries. - Express Photo.

"That means having some tions." forces available in the Meditercautions are not inconsistent tion. I do not want to sound with the Charter of the United alarmist but a threat to the

there were three critical times of Western Europe on the one for Britain in the last 10 years side and to the countries of Asia the threat to Berlin in 1948, on the other. defeated by the airlift, Communist aggression in Korea in United States of America. 1950, repelled by force of arms and now "this act of aggression against this great international waterway."

most serious for us all in Bri- principle of international control tain." Mr Lloyd said it was a of the Sucz Canal. The idea that "deliberate challenge." and all just because the canal passes Britain's friends in the Middle phrough Egyptian territory such or East were watching to see how an international authority would

If Colonel Nasser is not checked of what sovereignty really is. now what will his next step

Transient Impulses

"We have to be resolute ' this situation. We must not permit the right of free passage through the Canal to depend upon the transient impulses of

a single military dictator." Colonel Nasser's action was breach of international law." company possessing such international character as Company could not lawbe nationalised in the way that it had been done. The of an angry speech directed capital.-Reuter.

IVE GOT TO FOLLOW HIM.

THERE'S ONE CHANCE INA

HUNDRED NARDA

DIDN'T WRITE

-- AND THIS IS A TRAP-

rancon. These military pre- said: "It is a very serious situa-Sucz Canal is a threat to the Mr Lloyd sald he believed life and strength of Britain and

"It also deeply affects the

Fit Of Temper

"It is interesting to remember in 1946 the Soviet Union declar-In his view this was "the ed themselves in favour of the infringe Egyptian sovereignty Mr Lloyd posed the question: bears no relation to modern ideas

"The primary task of the conference will be to express its opinion upon our proposals." Saying that Britain has always thought there should be some link between the proposed

international authority and the United Nations, Mr Lloyd added: "The allegation has made that the conference is being held under the threat by us to use force. As to that I ask you to consider for a moment the method by which Colonel the blow to confidence adminis-Nasser chose to carry out his tered by Colonel Nasser would unlawful act.

"strikes at | against the Western powers and the rule of law between na- made in a fit of temper because he was not to get from the

> to the Convention of 1888. "He did not consult any of the

Arab states. He treated them like satellites.

the Aswan Dam. Floally he included in his decree of na-

The Damage Done

"Troops were moved in solze the property of the Canal Company. He had already then mobilised about 75 per cent of his armed forces. He has gone further since. That is what he the threat of force....

capital and it was obvious that make it more difficult for these "He announced it at the end countries to obtain

Aswan Dam. "He took action without pre- she knew people who became vious consultation of any sort ill and unable to work, or kind with the Company itself, the furniture for which He did not consult other parties had half paid was taken away from them." Young people, she said, made

"He said he would divert the revenues of the Canal to build blinds as soon, as they were

"I know it is terrible to at | portant weapon for the country's tionalisation an article ordering tack this system," Dame Hilds stability." Indeed, Mr Corner the employees of the company told the meeting, "but I have said, he had found that the many of them British—to stay yet to be convinced that there American worker, because his ot work under the threat of is any happier life than by house, car, washing machine and arrest and imprisonment if they saving and paying for what you refrigerator were all bought on

> She urged young couples to about going out of employdo without household luxuries ment. until they could afford to buy hire purchase schemes have them outright. Dame Hilda's statements have ridiculed Dame Hilda's critic-

Support came from the Secretary of Wellington Branch of though all warned the National Council of Women, ship could occur if there was has done, by way of force and Mrs M. Hayman, who described overcommittal. Most firms agreed hire purchase as "a definite that the system was not being Mr Lloyd said the great need social evil," adding "most of us abused and that it was a useful of under-developed countries hate to think what might hap-

DIFFERENT VIEW

up with the Joneses and many



By Lee Falk and Phil Davis



THIS IS MOST 50 17 15 MICHAEL. WHERE IS NARDA?

IN ANOTHER ROOM. PLEASE BE SEATED YOUR HIGHNESS. IVE SOMETHING TO SHOW YOU

By Mik



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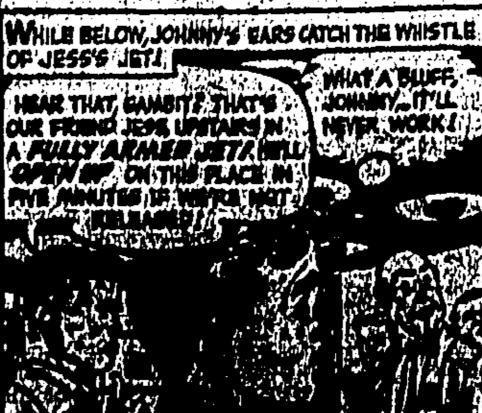
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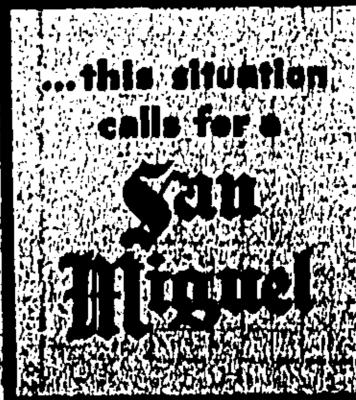




By Frank Robbins







Banker Defends Purchase

Wellington, Aug. 14. A suggestion that New Zealanders are overdoing the purchase of luxuries through hire purchase has brought Dame Hilda Ross, who is Minister for the Welfare of Women and Children, into the headlines.

she said.

gence

The President of Wellington

She said that members of her

From another quarter came

the view of the Assistant Man-

ager of Auckland Savings Bank,

Mr M.M. Corner who recently

returned from a three months'

visit to the United States. He

said that for the first time he

had realised that hire purchase

agreements on certain articles

were a form of thrift-and thrift

was practised in America to a

RIDICULED

Mr Corner said that a leading

American banker had told him

that hire purchase was "an im-

time nayment, thought twice

Welkington retailers operating

had experienced over-indul-

form of compulsory saving.

Towards the end of last year

and early this year a Royal

Commission on enthetary bank-

ing and credit system heard

hire purchase system had on the

One of the minor features in

the Commission's report was

that in New Zealand there were

no satisfactory statistics avail-

able on any section of hire

The Commission said that in

the absence of such informa-

tion it was impossible to deter-

mine the extent of the trading.

weighing the inflationary effect

of hire purchase was that part

of the fall in savings had been

replaced or probably more than

replaced by mortgage payments

and repayments under hire pur-

"In other words," the Com-

saving to spend, people have

undertaken contractual obliga-

ions which means that the sav-

A factor which had to be

into consideration in

"instead of

economy of the country.

purchase trading.

chase agreements.

mission observed.

by their customers.

very great degree.

On the other side of the argu- women want things their neighment, a New Zealand banker bours have and they go along to has stated that in his experi- get them on time payment, ence hire purchase commitments sometimes without their hus-are an incentive to increase band knowing anything about entrinus.

Giving her views on the hire purchase system to a meeting Housewives' Association, Mrs by 400 Auckland J.G. McLean announced a women, Dame Hildn said: "I different view. know I am sticking my neck out again because so much busi- committee were not entirely in ness is founded on time pay- agreement with Dame Hilda's ment but people should not criticisms of a system which commit themselves too much to was recognised all over the this system. It is wrong for world, "It is not an easy thing young married people to try to to condemn it without considerfurnish their entire home by ing it fully from all angles," time payment."

TAKEN AWAY

She alloged that today many Mr Lloyd, in his radio speech United States and ourselves the New Zealand families are too money he wanted to build the greatly committed to hire purchase agreements. She said that

> "a serious mistake" when they felt that they needed wall to wall carpeting, a refrigerator, a washing machine and venetion married.

attracted both support and op- isms. None who were consulted

at the present time was foreign pen if there was an economic recession."

Mrs Hayman said that in evidence on the effect that the such | many cases it was just "keeping



Couldn't be fresher!

ing comes after the spending." NEEDFUL THINGS

The Governor of the Reserve Bonk, Mr E.C. Fussell, in evidence before the Commission, said that he would be the last to suggest that because it had some inflationary factors hire purchase should be abandoned. It was the family mode and the young married couples mode of getting access to needful things

which they were umble to finance directly out of small incomes. Mr Fussell also said those who entered into hire purchase agreements had a powerful meentive to increase their carnings ... to meet such obligations rather save China Special.

Drunkenness Is Private Business:

Drunkenness is a private citair and accidents due to it cannot be counted for insurance and compensation purposes as being business docidents, even if they occur when a man is on duty, the Vienna Buprome.
Administrative Court has

The Court made this ruling in the case of Stefan Brezins. a businesmen from whom an insurance company claimed the money it had to pay out for damage done to a lorry with which Brezing's car was iln collision while on a husiness

He paid it but charged it up purposts, but taxation officials refused to accept this. So the case with to the Supreme Administrative Court Which decided against Bresile on the grounds that he was drunk at the time pollution for which be had been asstranced to the days imprisonment fillings.







THE AIDE CONTREBEE

AGREEMENT

Washington, Aug. 14.

The Agriculture Departtoday amnounced a trade agreement with Nationalist China whereby that country will purchase 9.8 million worth of farm commodities which include cotton, 5 million; dairy products, I.5 million; tobacco, 1.7 million and inedible tallow, I million. Sales under the programme will be made by private US traders, -United Press.

CHICAGO GRAIN **MARKET**

Chicago, Aug. 14 Grain futures prices were casy to heavy at the close of trading at the Bourd of Trad-

Profit taking was the principal cause of the decline, Scattered hedge selling also entered into wheat to cause losses a centand more during the day

Export business was slower than usual. However Austria. purchased 400,000 husbels of corn as expected. The grainwill be shipped during the first half of September from Gulf ports

Denmark also entered the bushels of US soxbeans for December (hipmen)

Egypt postponed a scheduled purchase of 4,000,000 bushels ca wheat and 200,000 tens of flour. It is reported, however, that the deal will be completed on August 18

Wheat closical to 1 to 25s cents, scybenns, off 1% to 2%

cents.	
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WINNIPEG GRAIN PRICES Winnipeg, Aug. 14.

Prices of grain futures closed

United Press.

today in	cents per	bushel as
follows.	•	
	Oaks	
Oct.		822
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May		7915
	Ryc	
Oct.		1261
Dec		1281 - 34
May		1317
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Oct.		1073
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Wheat,	No 3.	161 cents;
No. 5,	146 cer	its.—United
Preis.		

WORLD

COTTON **MARKETS**

New York, Aug. 14. Early gains of more than \$1 a bale in cotton were cut substantially by profit-taking the list finished slightly on the upside.

The market rose sharply at the outset of an extension of (vesterday's chort movement with hedging and Vishakapathain or Calcutta have would shortly announce its profit-taking readily absorbed, to go round Ceylon although decision, M st 1957 contracts but new small ships and other tiny eraft case nat highs

a morning and prices drifted from scuthern part of India. their highs as mill price fixing apparently was satisfied

ment reflected in part the project without delay in the will be completed before the failure of hedging to develop interest of national economy end of the Second Plan.-China In volume expected at this time and speedy transport facilities [Mail Special, Low certificated cotton stocks for foreign trade. also was a supporting. factor for nearby October.

At the close, the list ruled 5: 19 9 points higher. The market | Government of India appointed Orleans closed two lower to t one higher

Certificated > 5 a kg = 4,462 bates

Month	Volume	Open inter-
October .	24,300	250,500
December	41,900	546,300
March	27,000	350,100
Mas	22,000	178,500
July .	11,400	131,300
October:	3,600	58,890
December	PCKE	18,700
Total	132,900	1,534,200 ba

NEW YORK

i as follows:

¹ October

October

December

May July October December	53.27 32.91 32.34 31.61 31.60
NEW ORLEANS	
Prices of futures Gosco has follows:	i today
Spot October December March	32 80 33 44 33 40 33 23

LIVERPOOL

Futures closings, in lb, were as follows:	pence per
Old contract	
Oct./Nov	25.25
Deallan	24,75-77
Mar., Api	24.48+50
Mny/June	24,30
July/Aug	24.15
New contract	
Oct /Nov ,	25.04
	. 25 05
Dec./Jan	. 24.20
Mar /Apr	23.90
May/June	23,65
July/Aug ,	20.05
Egyptian Keennk	
Nev. /Dee	53 30
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Futures closings, in cruzeiros per kilo were as follows:

Mir, May and July all unquotes 1 In the US the average price of one-inch middling cotton at 14 for ships using the route as did designated spot markets was j |33.03| cints. Sales totalled |13,472| by $|\infty|$ on the other side of the |bales.—United Press.

Tight Credit Restrictions Effective In Germany

Frankfurt, Aug. 14.
The Bank Deutscher Laender said that its tight credit policy had been increasingly effective in the past few months and expansion of demand in many West German markets was slowing down. But, said the Bank, it was necessary to maintain 6,700,000 rupees (about £502,500) credit restrictions because West Germany's sterling). It would have twogeneral economic was still extremely unstable.

change reserves continued. creases in production and were porcry factors. a permanent cause of price increases. The Bank said that dissavings deposits showed the need considerable dereign expublic were to some extent

million marks in June against Special.

Economic slability might be rises by 522 millions in May and endangered if the growth of 310 millions in April, How- convenience and safety the Potash bonds lost 1 sterling. West Germany's foreign ex- ever, the Bank repeated its Committee attaches great im- Japanese hardly stirred. It previous view that the increases portance to the inclusion in the was 'nlso threatened by wage | did not represent long term tenincreases which 'exceeded in- dencies but were due to tem-The Bank predicted a big

change soon. The present gold nervous of last year's excessive and foreign currency reserves soon. would cover seven months imports based on the monthly would be a strong current which The Bank, said West Ger- everages for the first half of this would deed to erozion of the many's gold and foreign ex- year. Gold and dollar reserves change reserves continued to alone would cover only five to hindering navigation. rise. They increased by 716 months imports China Mail A spokesmen for the Clovern 23%, close 23%, riet change off

India May Deepen A Sea. WOULD BY-PASS CEYLON'S MAIN PORT

Bombay, Aug. 14.

Ships plying between the Arabian Sea and the Bay of Bengal will avoid having to go round the island of Ceylon and so save 300 miles if a project now being discussed points higher with sales of 46 becomes a reality. The project, called the Sethusamudram

scheme, provides for the deepening of the shallow waters between India and Ceylon.

 covering (from the Arabian Sea to Madras | the | Committee's | report | and can cross the Gulf of Mannarpart of the Indam Ocean west development of shipping and A reaction started late in the of Ceylon and southeast of the fereign trade which is envisaged

derests have been plending with the Sethusamudram project will The early covering move, the authorities to undertake the not only be started shortly but

Feasible

As a preliminary step, the opened one to 11 higher. New (an expert committee to make specific recommendations for the implementation of

> The Sethusamadram project Government that the project is feasible.

The Committee estimated that be the entire project would cost! rupers $\ker^+(\mathfrak{L}7.500.000)$ sterling). It in-India's southeastern nort of Vice-President John A. Collings

Tutlcorin and the construction announced. i and of a project headquarters. I mended a site near the Pamban | losses in the six-months period bridge at the southern the of when an expense increase of India for the main Schusamud- 22%, in line with mounting inram canal, as it is called, to link | dustry costs, negated a 13% the Gulf of Mannar with the revenue increase to produce a Palk Strait which is a 40-mile | net lose of \$5,396,000 or \$1.62 a wide channel between north share. In 1965 TWA carned Ceylon and southeast India, The \$1,334,000 or 29c a share in the Pumban Channel separates thist six months Rameswaram Island from the mainland of south India and

Alternative Port

32 36 I with the Palk Strait.

Explaining the reasons for recommending the site a few miles to 1,827,916,000. west of the Pamban bridge on the mainland, the Committee. TWA's second quarter profit closed one to two points higher said that being directly in line this year was \$1.148,000 or 34c with siles of 132 contracts. between the port of Tullcorin a share compared to \$5,139,000 and Palk Strait the site was the or \$1.54 a share in 1955. (most suitable for saving distance and time, while excava- Six months summary: tion work there would be much Operating ensier as borings had indicated Revenues a strata consisting almost en- Net Earnings rirely of sand.

One of the most significant suggestions of the Committee is standing in 1956; 3,330,742 in 1955. in regard to developing an alternative port to Colombo.

The Sethusamudram Navigation route, it stated, could not be a complete alternative to the round-Ceylon routes unless it had on it a port and harbour which would provide the same facilities the port and harbour at Colom-

India's southeastern port of t Tuticorin was, in the opinion of minor port among the eastern ports of India and at present handles about 459,000 tons of cargo a year. Its development, suggested the Committee, should be so designed from the outset that it could be used by all ships July trade returns, which at present use the ports and harbours of Cochin, Colombo and Madras.

Two-Way Traffic

The Sethusamudram canal

alone is estimated to cost about buying. canal will cost about 12,000,000 to 15-3/32 sterling. runces (£900,000 sterling). In the interests of navigational scheme of a lock. It points out the tape. In the main they lost that during the northeast mon- ground notably Royal Dutch, soon the sea steel in the Palk down three-fourths sterling to Straft is likely to be higher 7014. than in the Gulf of Mannar and

In the absence of a lock there banks of the canal, in addition

At present big ships coming Government had been studying

In view of the considerable) in India's second Five Year Plan (1950-61), shipping in-Shipping and commercial in-literests here are confident that

New York, Aug. 14. TWA expanded its revenue | Iraffic by 4 \(million ton miles \) in June at 1956 to increase net cludes a can'd 5,400 yards long, carnings for the month to 32 feet deep and 150 feet wide | \$2,491,000 or 75c a share comat the bottom, five approach pared with \$2,307,000 or 69c a Prices of futures closed today | canals, a canal lock, a canal share last June, Chairman Warbridge, the development of rea Lee Pierson and Executive

However, the June gain was The Committee have recom- not sufficient to offset earlier

Total operating revenue for New connects the Gulf of Mannar (TWA's first six months was \$112,110,000, an all-time high, compared to \$99,034,000 in 1955. Combined revenue passenger miles for both domestic and international services were 16% ahead of 1955, from 1,575,593,000

\$112,110,000 \$99,004,000 Lafter taxes) (\$3,396,000) \$1,334,000 Per Share* Bused on 3,338,933 shares out-

Maintain **Improvement**

London, Aug. 14.

Business on the stock market was small but the Committee, an obvious yesterday's modest imchoice. Tuticorin is the leading provement was maintained; most sections showed small gains. Markets ignored Wall Street

but were encouraged by the British Government bonds

edged upward in one or two cases as much as flyersixteenths. Among industrials chain ctores, engineer, shipbuilding

and alreraft-makers attracted American favouriles mit some in sterling per long ton, as folselling, notably Borax deferred lows: which fell nearly 4th sterling

Germans were idled but the Oil shores seldom showed on

Sucz Canal fell 1/2 sterling 17

TORONTO EXCHANGE

Steep Rock high 28%, low ment of India sald that the 14, sales 2,870.

WORLD RUBBER **MARKETS**

New York, Aug. 14. The No. 1 Res rubber futures contract closed today 5 to 10 contracts.

The standard contract closed 10 to 80 points higher with sules of 28 contracts. The rex contract closed 50 points higher to 5 points lower with sales of 76 contracts. Closing prices:

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Rubber trading was dull Business done on the Honggain today with prices rising kong Stock Exchange this slightly in line with higher morning amounted to approxi-London cable: Spot No. 1 Rss mately \$475,000, Noon quotations was quoted at 26 % cents a and the morning's transactions:

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SINGAPORE It was a quiet day today with

some trade buying against acreplances. There was no particular trend locally. Future closings were: No 1 rubber per (b)

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York Sugar Market

New York, Aug. 14. World No. 4 sugar futures closed one to two points lower with sales of one contract. Domestic No. 6 sugar futures With the exception of

transaction of 100 contracts in the nearby September domestic position, futures trading was Contract No. 4 (world)

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LONDON METAL **PRICES**

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CHICAGO LARD **FUTURES**

Chicago, Aug. 14.

Prices of lard Tutures closed foday 'in cents per lb. as follows:

SINO-JAPANESE TRADE DEAL

London, Aug. 15. The visiting delegation of Japanese businessmen and industrialists and a number of Chinese import and export corporations have concluded contracts in Peking

amounting to about four

million sterling, the New

China News Agency re-

ported today.

Among the goods China will sell Japan are: soybeaus, maize, cashmere, leather, wool, wild slik, tung wood and tung oil. Goods from Japan will include: woollens, rayon. silk, sugar, watches, bloycles, cameras and scientific instruments, the agency added.—Reuter.

(From Our Correspondent)

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Singapore

Singapore, Aug. 15. Brokers today quoted the following stock prices: Batu Linteing Rubber Co. Ltd. \$1.62 British Borneo Petroleum Syndicate 64/-Consolidated Tin Smelters

Ord. 29/-Frater & Neave Ltd. Ord. \$1.52 Friter & Neave Ltd 715% ing Corp.
Hongkong Tin IAd. Ltd. \$1.77

Petaling Tin Ltd. \$3.15

Raffles Hotel \$2.36

Singapore Cold Storage \$1.45

South British Insurance Co. Straits Trading \$24.00
Straits Steamship \$14.00
United Engineers Ord. \$8.70 Weems Bros. \$2.85 Cumdiv.—China Mail Special.

London Foreign Exchange

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New York Foreign Exchange New York, Aug. 14.

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But Higher

New York, Aug. 14. Strength in selected metals, steel, oil and chemical shares highlighted a generally higher but quiet stock market today.

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Eastman Kodak .

Cuban Amer, Sugar

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Colgate-Palmolive Co.

A brief buying flurry near Chase Man, Bank the close lifted turnover for the session to 1,790,000 theres compared with 1,730,000 yesterday. Industrial shires as a group just about recovered yesterday's losses climbing 2.87 in their everage. Utilities were then but rails easid just a bit on average.

in the non-ferrous metals ranged past 2 points in and Eric Rathroad Phelps Dodge, the last selling ex-dividend. For sicels, General Electric Bethlehem paced with a rise of General Foods almost 2 points.

Gulf Oil, depressed recently Gilden Co. on disappointment over fallure Goodrich (B.F.) Co of an expected clock split to materialise, recovered 2 points Homstake Mining Co. in the oils, Royal Dutch, also Ingersoll-Rand off sharply recently in reaction to the Sucz Canil uncertainty, Int'l Business Machines recovered nearly 3. Texas Co. Int'l Harvester ... and Philips Petroleum rose International Nickel around a point. On the other hand, Continental and Shell John Mowille Co. lost over a point each.

Air Force Orders

Air Force orders, climbed neitly 3 in the aircrafts while North American Aviation lost more than a point,

Locus added a point as the National Casti Reg. A" company announced the lease of its Min library to a Los National Steel Corp. Argeles television station for 4 New York Central million and in turn acquired a 25 per cent interest in the Owen-Illinois Glass station.

Leadership was high grade with Boding, Gulf, Chrysler, US Steel and General Motors topping the active list Of 1,139 issues traded, 477 were higher, 393 lower. New York Stock Exchange

bor: 1 volume was \$4,120 000. American Stock Exchange was 710_000 shares. Dow-Jones closing averages wcre: 30 Industrials

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NAMESAKES Answers:—1 Plot, 2 Justice,

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with revised codes in force as from: 1st April, 1956.

South China Morning Post Ltd

HONG KONG L KOWLOON.

Winning System

U man and like most such [on] he has a system. He has preservation of that faith, a million not the means to put it too, often to the test. For to needs to possess a £1 note 1 Laurence Dunne, the chief and the leisure in which to put it to work for him.

He sometimes has leisure, for of a free and easy casual kind, where," said George, "and that He occasionally has £1 But it halfpenny he had, too, that's is only rarely that he has the mine. You see there's a sort of two together. The other mght, dip in the middle of it, I've had

ON HIS WAY UP

PEORGE set off for his ed Edward, "I been working arrived there, began to operate wards and sad won more than Sessions for sentence.

I, to was beginning to regard hum with some favour. He unthem under his mattress to press Them as became a man who was: on the way in the world, and into one of their pockets, put athers it had gathered an

THE NEXT BED

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George called for the bostel HITS N. LUZON p cler. The porter called for the police. A detective came round. and George told him the story and turned to a youth who was Luzon yesterday as she raged in sleeping late in the bed next to the vicinity of Basco, capital of George's He shook the youth Batanes Island, northernmost up awake "I thought you might of Luzon, with 100-mile per hour like me to search you," the de- centre winds. and, "lust to prove you've nothing to do with a Babs last night about 210 miles

The youth, an se name was Edward said I might as welltell you that I happen to have floodd in my pickets"

RECOGNITION

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"Let's see your money." The detective said

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MEORGE is a betting through them. George looked

Suddenly George cried cut:

great faith in his system, "That's it, that's the lucky one. and fortunately for the that's the £1 note that won me all the money. I'd know it in THE SNAG play the system George LIE and the same thing to Sir

imagistrate, a little later in the morning, when Edward had plead d not guilty to stealing the his work as a kitchen porter is 1 "I'd know that note any-

> that halfpenny for months." "Why should I want to stent, when I bin working" demand-

U favourite dog-track and, down at the fair at Battersea. his system. He betted on the a But the case was found proved dogs rounting out of tends whose against him, and when his re-

a umbers appeared on the 1911 cold was read out, the eight rate. By the end of the even-"previous convictions against ing he know that number backs han, Sir Laurence sent him to

He went away looking glum enough, but no glummer than When Covinge got back, that George For Su Laurence's last ngb' to the hostel where he words on the matter were in-Lyed, he felt that fortune at structions to the officer in charge of the case. "The money involved must be held," he said, divided had done trousers, put builth it is known whether there will be an appeal."

"But " George began, He was shown out before he could aprofest further, and left the the bucky £1 note and the featht without a penny to his Iname, or even a halfpenny with I a sort of dip in the middle

Manile, Aug. 15 Typhoon Babs flooded several "I see," the detective said, larens in Northern and Central

The Weather Bureau located east-north-east of Basco, crawling west north-west at seven miles per hour toward Formosa. France-Presse.

Major Salem Is "Reproached"

Cairo, Aug. 15. has "reproached" former Minister of National Guidance Salah Salem for say-Ing the Suez Canal would be blown up if Egypt is invaded, Informed sources said here to-

Salem made the statement in Leen able to prove. London when he arrived there | to cover the Suez conference him (the defendent) the onus of for his newspaper, Al-Shaab.— accounting for his movements | Um'd Press.

By Galbraith SIDE GLANCES



"The only boys around that fishing resort where we went last year were two Indians—do you want your daughter to be a squaw?"

DRIVER FINED \$500

Z Salamon was fined \$500 with the alternative of 28 days in prison, and had his licence endorsed at Kowloon Court this morning, where he was found guilty of driving without due care and attention.

The case was heard by Mr I. T. Morris. Salamon of 60 Granville Road, Kowloon, was defended by Mr Peter Mo. Sub-Inspector Sackett pro-

The prosecution arose out of

a traffic accident at five minutes past midnight on March 25 opposite the Canarvan Hotel, at the junction of Canaryan Road and Cornwall Avenue, A pedesrrain was knocked down and

sustained serious injuries, Sub-Inspector Sackett said that the vehicle involved was a HK Government car. Enquiry revealed that Salamon was in charge of the vehicle at the

time of the accident. DENIES ACCIDENT Salamon admitted that he was

in charge of the vehicle, but denied the accident and claimed that he was elsewhere at the time when it occurred. Mr Morris said that the 1 p.m. prosecution had made a clear statement which it had since

He continued: "This cast upon | 8 am. between 11.45 p.m. and five minutes past midnight on the night of March 24th-25th, He has not done this in a satisfactory manner and indeed in my view has not told the truth. 6 n.m. And this entitles the court to disbelieve the whole story as to his movements."

Radio Hongkong

6 p.m., Time Signal and Programme Summary; 6.03, Lucky Dip-Listeners Requests presented by Margherita: 7, "Eastern Music for Western Bars"—Japanese Folk Songs sung by Kouta Katsutaro and Masao Suzuld: 7,30, "Time for Jazz" with Robin Day: 7.59, Weather Report: i, Time Signal and the News: 8.09, Commentary or Stop Press Item; 8.18 (app.), Evening Star-A Short Concert by Gregor Platigoralcy (callo); 8.30. The Right Hon, Selwyn Lloyd, P.C., Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs speaking on Comprete and his Orchestra: 9. Wednesday Theatre-"Hunt Royal"-A Comedy of Very High Life by Helena Wood, Produced Boulevard Cafe; 10.30, Alfred Newman and this Orchestra; 10.59. Weather Report; 11. Time Signal. Radio News Reel: 11.15, Goodnight

Music: 11.30, Close Down.

REDIFFUSION 2 p.m., Variety Calls the Tune; 3, 13 (Pagenini); "Sonata", Op. 40, No. 2 United Press. (Clementi): Variations on an Original (Clementi): Variations on an Original Thome. Op. 36—the "Enigma" (Elgar): 4. Romances of the World—Lady Hamilton; 4.15. Tea for Two: 4.30. Strictly Instrumental; 5. Children's Corner—Conducted by Auntie Pamela; 5.30. Wednesday Requests—Presented by Betty; 6.28. Birthday Madibos; 6.30. Men Behind the Melody—Featuring the story and songs of Howard Dietz; 7. Personality Panade—Noel Coward; 7.18. Rolph Flanagan and his Orchestra; 7.30. Colce Time; 7.45. The Final Year—The story of a Mother's Courage; 8. Time Signal and the News; 5.00. The story of a Mother's Courses.

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The Mother's Course.

The Dod Morshall, former the Course of Annual Were in Singapore Labour Front.

The petitioning creditor was represented by Mr M. E. Ives of P. Mo'rad Co.

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The latest times of posting shown below are those for un registered correspondence posted at (J.P.O., Hongkong, The latest posting times elsewhere which, in general, are earlier than the G.P.O. times can be ascertained by enquiry at the local office, The latest posting times for registered articles are generally one hour earlier than the times shown below. Particulars regarding parcel mails can be ascertained by enquiry at any post

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15 By Air Hawaii, USA, Canada, 6 p.m. Formosa, 6 pm By Surface Burina, India, 4 p.m.

Macao, 6 p.m. THURSDAY, AUGUST 16 Peking, Shanghai, Hankow, 7 a.m. Thailand, Pakistan, Lebanon, Germany, France, Great Britain, 10 am. Indo-China, 11 am

Japan, 11 a.m. Philipphies, 2 p.m. Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain, Europe, 6 p.m.

Korea, C p in . USA., 6 p.m. By Surface China, People's Republic, 7 am. Indonesia, 11 a.m. Malaya, India, 11 a.m.

Macao, 1 p.m. Japon, U.S.A., C. & S. America.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17 Thailand, Ceylon, Burma, India, Germany, 10 a.m.

Formosa, Japan, Korea, Okinawa. Philippines, Australia, New Zea-Gunn, Howall, USA, 2 pm. Formosa, USA., 6 p.m. Indo-China, France, 6 p.m.

Thailand, India, Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain, Europe. Canada, 6 p.m

Japan, 6 p.m. By Surface China, People's Republic, 7 a.m.

Philippines, 11 a.m. Malaya, Aden, Middle East, Great Europe (Netherland, & Germany, Parcels direct), Noon. Macao, 1 p.m. Macao, 6 p.m.

COULDN'T AGREE MORE

San Francisco, Aug. 14. Republican National Chairman Leonard Hall said he agreed President Harry S. Truman's Mousaoui Mohamed and his five worth in so many ways. Last statement today that Adlah Stevencon could not win the by Martyn C. Webster (BBCTS); 10, election even if he should the cutting of many telephone receive the Democratic nomina- wires and arson attacks, police

Hall said, "This is one of the i fow times I've been in complete rebels opened machine gun accord with Mr Truman, Ho lire on a car in the Beocourt could say the same thing about area and wounded a European Wednesday Concert-"I Polotti", Op. any Democratic candidate."- Woman,

DISASTROUS FLOODS '

Tokyo, Aug. 15. More than 200,000 people in 460 villages in Hellungkiang

Conspiracy Case

AUGUST 15, 1956.

Documents Not Evidence Says Defence Counsel

Legal submissions on the admissibility of certain documents as evidence were put forward by Mr Patrick Yu, Counsel for first accused, at the conspiracy and corruption trial this morning at the Victoria District Court.

The accused are Chau Chungrang, 38, managing partner of the Shun Hing Construction Co. Major Denald Peachey, 47, and Capt. Harry Curts, 46, both of the Reyal Engineers

Yesterday, Mr Yu had objected to the production, as evidence, of documents seized by Chief Inspector W. Apps at the offices. of the Shun Hing firm, on the ground that the search warrant was bad

Te-day, M. Yu subm ited that an, evidence directly obtained as a result of illegal means was madmisible

Dealing with law authorities, he said that assuming evidence in question adduced by trick then the Court should disregard it. Consequently, the Court should concern itself as to how any piece of evidence before the Court had been obtained.

ILLEGAL SEARCH

Mr Yu submitted that if the Police entry into a house was illegal because of a bad warrant, documents subsequently seized vere done so illegally.

whether to hold documents so selzed as admissible or not.

MUST BE SPECIFIC

stated should be specific as to stage behind him. the present case, no specific quite acquired the turn

in the warrant. house "ranging from books to so small that I am confident that been seized by the Police. scizure of documents that certain charges were brought against the accused, Counsel continued.

Hearing is proceeding.

DESERTERS ARRESTED

Alg.ers, Aug. 14. French police have arrested for Monday. This is to be made two Austrian descriers from the French Foreign Legico worked with Algerian rebels and managed to obtain important documents by posing as foreign correspondents, officials said to-

outside Oran.

from Vicana. scribed as " a series of important documents.' Meanwhile, police struck at a

terrorist cell at Bilda and pulled wholeheartedly with former in its leader, school teacher accomplices.

Here in Algiers this morning

Last night French military mer's reason at Verona; this is Building. Their assistant Philips is the label and a recent authorities announced they had perhaps one of the highest re-manager, T. P. Van Ameryoort, cockfail party served to introrecovered 253 stolen weapons cognitions which could be paid testified that in May the debtor during the post three weeks in to him. the Aures mountains. Among Superlatives also for Moya \$4,094.80 for goods sold.

Marshal Arrives In Canton

guns.-United Press.

Civic Assn And The New Rents Bill

If the legislation permitting increases in standard rents and a measure of decontrol is not withdrawn, or if it should receive a second reading in substantially the form it now takes, the Civic Association may consider drawing up a petition to Her Majesty the Queen.

This was stated by a Civic Association spokesman this morning, who added that the Association would also seek the support of all organised bodies in Hongkong for the petition which would request repeal of the Bill.

Asked whether the Civic Association would invite the Reform Club to Join in the petition, the spokesman replied that the issue was one above party politics and the Reform Club and all other organisations would be welcome to participate with the Civic Association in the submission of the petition.

The spokesman also disclosed that he understood Unofficial members of Legislative Council would be meeting some time this week to discuss, among other things, the Civic Association's letter to them requesting them to press for the withdrawni of the Bill to increase controlled rents and to decontrol premises.

Reaction To The Gafni Recital

SUPERLATIVES ALL ROUND!

For many years a controversy has waged over the relative merits of those two fabulous tenors Caruso and Gigli. Unfortunately for most of us Caruso is only a recorded voice and although humour. His recordings are modern recording techniques have enabled these recordings to be restored so that they are as near as possible to the original, removal of unwanted noise necessarily means that something of the voice is also lost.

Last night most of us heard for the first time a new tenor, Miklos Gafni, and with him the beginnings of a | new controversy. Gafni has been called "the greatest the search was illegal and the tenor since Gigli" and no one who has heard him can deny this; further we are in the fortunate position of being Quoting from authorities at able to compare these two singers directly. Gafni is an length, Mr Yu said the Court | American who was born in Hungary and has a magnificould exercise its discretion cent. rich, lush voice which reveals his Italian training.

In the interval, the contro-the Vice-Chancellor of He submitted that a "wide versy started, and we were all University for releasing and indefinite search for written | compelled to compare | Gafni | Loke Yew Hall specially for this documents" by the Police was with Gigli. In tonal quality and occasion and for the extra conillegal. This could be applied power, he at least equals cert on Monday,-R. A BONES. to the search in the present Gigli, Many of his mannerisms reminded us so much of Gigli; In particular, when he turned his back on the audience to sing A search warrant, Mr Yu to the students sitting on the

the purposes of the search. In Yet I felt that Gaini has not documents were mentioned, not phrase and the final polish of were any limitations laid down the master. Gafni is very young, only 32, and the difference be-Various documents in the tween him and, say, Gigli, 18 toilet paper" could thus have in a year or two he will have succeided in convincing even It was subsequent to the the bitterest critics and slaunchest supporters of the earlier

> The recital last night was at | the Loke Yew Hall of the Uni- dent of Gardens, went to the versity and was sponsored by the Musical Society of Hongkong. Mr Gafni gave a delightfully varied programmy coutaining several old favourites sending the bear to the Botande he is going to be missed. from the operatic stage. The hall was packed and the demand has been so great that an additional concert has had to be arranged Mr Mok Kim-po, Principal of all sorts of combinations. As-

the Music Society. LOCAL ACCOMPANIST

up of requests from the public

which should be sent in

A great honour was paid to The two men, whose names our local musicians when Mr were withheld, were picked up Gafni chose not to bring his own on Sunday at Ourd Mallou, just accompanist but to use one of our own pianists, Moya Rea. The They both came originally decision was well justified. have praised Moya Rea's accom-Police are investigating how paniment before, and for last far they co-operated with the night she deserves renewed and rebels and the extent of the ever higher praise. It is a great demage to security by their strain and tremendous responsihaving obtained what they de- bility to accompany such a great singer. Moya Rea bore this responsibility without any signs of the strain.

Our Music Society is now established and has shown its night's recital was superb exam-The cell was responsible for ple of what we have come to against Cheng Kwong-shun, expect from them.

So it is a case of superlatives all round. Firstly of course for Miklos Gaini, surely the greatest the Bankruptcy Court operatic tenor in the world today. Mr Gainl has been invited to sing in "Aida" in the of the creditors, Borneo Sumatra

them were three light machine Rea and the Music Society and, On July 30 he attended a have been signed and the

The Colony's reservoirs gain- \$241,770.52.

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The debtor admitted his debta panies, only Columbia doing

Black Bear **Botanic** Gardens

half-grown Asiatic tor Borge of the human voice. black bear was presented to the Botanic Gardens by the Tun Mui School in Lockhart Koad, this morning.

Mr R. E. Dean, Superinten-School to accept the one-yearold semale bear.

It was Mr Roger Woo, Director of the School, who suggested Gardens. and soon afterwards was sent to has been a valued member of

the School, as a present. From sociated for a long time with that time she has been fed by the Aces Concert Party he has Fung Kuen, who looks after broadcast many times over writing, as soon as possible, to all the birds and animals for Radio Hongkong, in the old the school. The bear has three meals | Lorenzo

and bread, meat and rice. In addition to the three music for the regular meals, she is given fruit or honey before going to

Mr Dean said that when the bear was fully-grown her weight would be approximately 200

RECEIVING **ORDER**

A receiving order was made trading as Cheng Kwong Kee of 20 Chung Lok Street, Kowloon, by Mr Justice J. Reynolds in morning.

The petition was made by one

opeing production of next sum- Trading Co., of Gloucester was indebted to his firm for broadcasters and writers, Many

last but not least, to Dr Ride, meeting of creditors where the selection of music already available to be debtor announced that he had able ranges from the traditional suspended payment of his debts to the Chinese versions of the and gave a list of his essets as modern 'pop' hits. Previously \$69,751.30 and liabilities as most such records have been



It is always pleasant to see a recording artist for whom one has a great liking receive the acclamation one thinks is only his or her due.

In previous columns I have nuide mention of Victor Borge and always the mention has been favourable. Ever since I first heard this Danish comedian I have felt his talents to be such that he deserved more than seemed to be his lot.

Although he has been, for years, a invourite with the discernaig revue type of audicag: he has not been appreciated by the great majority of the American public. He has been in the States for a long time and has had a one-man snow on Broauway, which is something. Hecently his television show created a sensation and took away quite a few viewers of

the long established favourties. Now he is a quantity in Brituin. Viewers there have recotved him with enthusiasm and are clamouring for more of his dry, crisp going to sell like mad, according to latest indications, and whosugh here in Hongkong there is only one 10" LP to be had there will soon be another one.

HE DEBUNKS

"Comedy in Music" a Philips record has introduced this comple,ely original comedian to duke a few new friends in the colony and those who have It will wuich with interest for the arrival of the new 12" disc which includes his fabulous explanation of his system of Phonetic Punctuation.

It is to be expected that soon Mr Borge will be offered a screen contract and as he is us good a pianist as Liberace, is infinitely more personable and has a delightful sense of humour we can hope to see a better effort than "Sincerely Yours,"

To those of you who know nothing of Victor Borge lat me say that he is a classical planist who specialises in clowning at the keyboard with special emphasis on debunking. Someone has called him the Anna Russell of the plano. I would prefer to refer to Miss Russell as the Vic-

I would dearly love to see

them in a show together. One of the finest of local musicians is leaving at the end of this month. Tommy Abra. hams, recognised by fellow musicians as being the best guitar player in town, is going to England on August 27, and

Tommy has played in just She was born in Kwangsi, about every place in town and days as a member of the Hal and more group daily, her diet consisting of milk recently as the mainstay of the combination which played the "Beginners

| Please'' series.

Tommy is going to have a farewell performance if all goes well and steps have already been taken to get a bunch of the best boys in town together in the studios of Radlo Hongkong to have a session. This will be recorded and broadcast later. More details will be given as they become available but already I can tell you that Hal Lorenzo, George Pearson, Connie Grego and Tommy himself hre more than probable participants. Also likely to be heard are Robert Acheson, clarinet-playing "Jazz Half Hour" broadcaster. and Berry Yanezza, just about this the best trumpet man in town.

> As mentioned before a few: months ago a blg record label has started to build up a reduce the new discs to local of the favourite Chinese singers





